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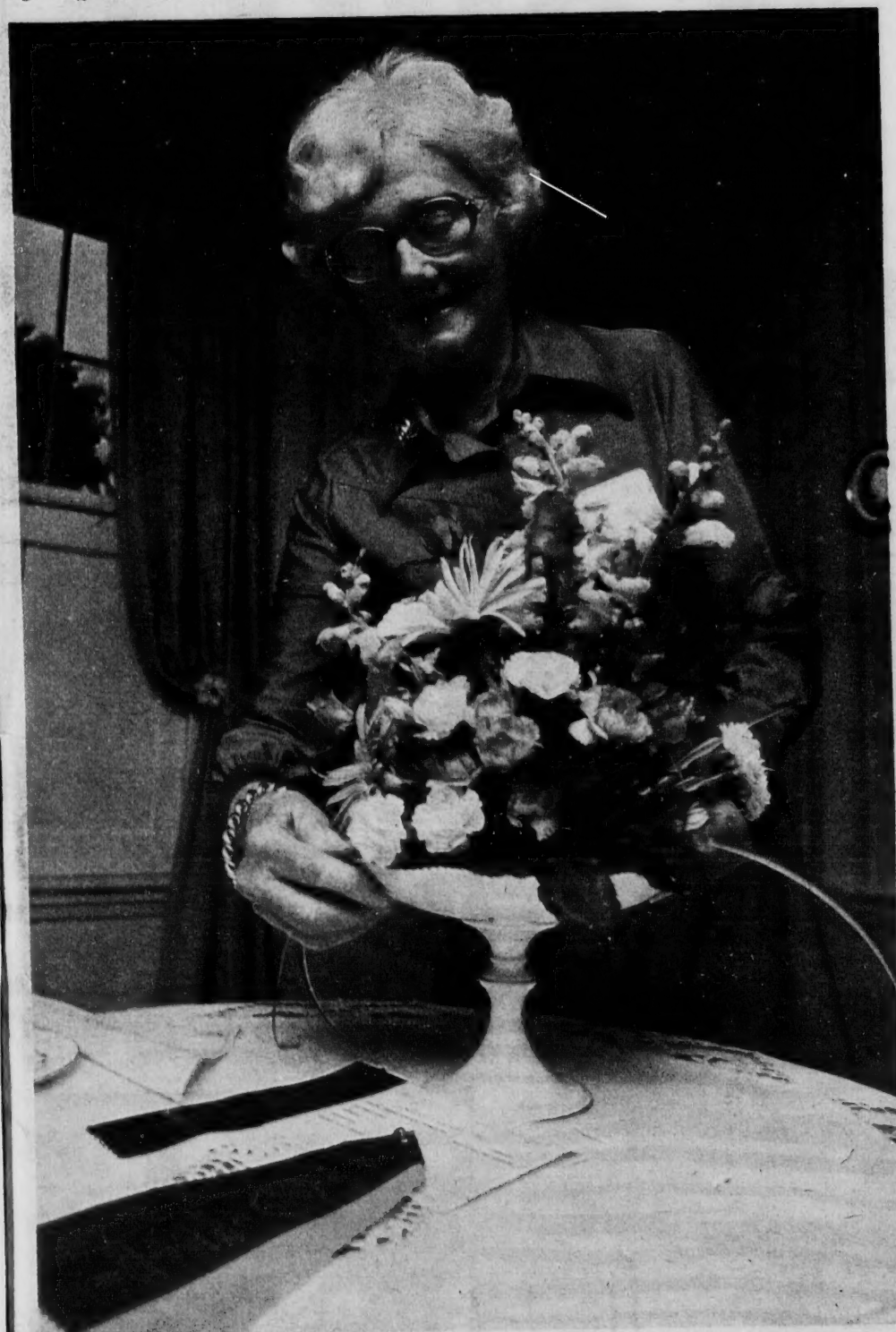
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The Top Award

Hosess Peg Sullivan of the Andover Garden club admires an arrangement by Mrs. Rudolph Muto of Andover which captured first place, the Tri-Color Award in the flower show conducted by the club last weekend. Other flower show photos, page 64.

Clark Gets Evaluation, Pay Increase

By Robert E. Finneran
Editor

Town Manager Jared S. A. Clark got his evaluation and an additional \$3,000 in salary as a result Saturday morning.

The long-delayed evaluation, a contract agreement between Clark and the selectmen when the manager was hired in February took place in open session at the conference room in town hall.

Chairman Albert Cole, Jr., of the selectmen said, following the evaluation session, the board was "unanimous in the feeling that the manager is performing satisfactorily, perhaps a little more than expected."

Cole said that as a result of the evaluation, "the board felt Clark was entitled to a salary adjustment of \$3,000, moving him up a step on the scale."

The chairman said that the manager was hired at the lowest point on the salary scale set by the board when the post was advertised. The manager position had a \$30,000-\$35,000 salary range, according to the advertisements issued a year ago.

Cole said that there were some differences of opinion among some members of the board as to whether the manager had moved too quickly in some reorganizational areas.

But, generally the board was unanimous in its feeling that Clark was moving in the proper direction in exercising efficiencies within municipal operations.

The manager was asked to reorganize the town to provide for more efficient operation when he was hired in February of this year. The board's feeling is that he is doing that and making a great deal of progress.

Clark has developed two new agencies to provide more co-ordinated effort in specific municipal areas.

A new community development department has been created and a director appointed. This is aimed at concentrating on

the town's growth and its inherent problems.

The community services department is about to become a formal agency, through action of the selectmen Monday night.

This agency handles all responsibilities which were under the recreation/community schools department, with such agencies as elderly services included.

Effect of the new agencies is to consolidate several departments into one, with a director reporting to the manager, rather than several department heads under the manager's direct supervision.

The selectmen and manager during the evaluation session talked about how they were getting along with each other, and how the town was operating.

Chairman Cole summarized the feeling of the board as, "a little better than expected from a new man," when asked about the manager's overall performance to date.

The evaluation was not based on a pass-fail series of questions, but rather an informal discussion format.

Cole said the board was very much impressed with the close co-operation which has developed between the town and school departments since Clark's arrival. The chairman said town-school relationships are aimed at working together. He said the same was true among the various town boards and committees which seem to be working together with more understanding under Clark's direction.

The evaluation session lasted a little over two hours.

It had been agreed when Clark was hired from Dover, N. H. in February that there would be an evaluation within six months, then annually, as part of the agreement to

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Over In Hour

Town Meeting Is Strictly Business

A strictly business special town meeting Monday night disposed of a two-item agenda in less than an hour. In the process permission was given to the school building committee to examine building a new East Junior High, rather than renovate, and allow spending \$150,000 for a new sewer line for expansion of the Raytheon plant in West Andover.

While speakers were accorded courtesy throughout the mood of the voters was directed more toward business than

oratory.

School Building Committee Chairman Robert B. McIntyre explained the need for a change in the article approved last April which provided planning funds for renovation of the East Junior High.

McIntyre said that since the planning process has begun, state building commission authorities and architects have advised that renovating the old East Junior

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According to Jeff French, president of the Andover Chamber of Commerce, the popularity of downtown stores can be attributed to "personal service." "Most stores," he noted, "are owned and operated by local people."

In order to attract more shoppers to Andover, the Chamber of Commerce has arranged for several special events during the last few weeks before Christmas through its Andover Center Merchants division.

The Center Merchants, chaired by Luke Pfeifle of Feet First, was responsible for this week's Family Night, organized six carolling groups to sing in the stores during the Christmas season, is sponsoring the Christmas window-display contest, and worked out a cost-sharing agreement with the town in order to finance Christmas lights and decorations for Main Street. They also organized school children to decorate the trees in front of the Town Hall.

And all of these measures seem to be working. All respondents to a TOWNSMAN check of local businesses said that business was good or very good, and all reported increased sales over last year at this time.

Mr. Pfeifle said that his business may have increased because of a fortuitous early snow which created a better market for winter boots.

At McCartney's, John Zenevitch noted the active Christmas trade, but could not pinpoint specifically what is causing it. He did say, though, that quicker service and free gift wrapping in most Andover stores may be attracting buyers away from department stores and shopping malls.

All member stores of the Center Merchants will be opened from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. until Christmas.

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Town House Topics

Two-Hour Parking At Town Hall

Two-hour parking in the lot to the rear of town hall will go into effect Friday morning.

Enforcement of the two-hour limit will begin at 9 a.m. on Friday. Town hall employees who had been

using the lot, will now park in the Shattuck lot off Park street. Persons who have been using the town hall area for all day or extended parking, will also have to find alternate locations.

Reflections On An Old Town Meeting

In a case of history repeating itself in a sense, Moderator James D. Doherty reported on a winter special town meeting of 1933 which provided funds for what is now East Junior High school.

At the special town meeting Monday night at which voters were asked to approve allowing the school building committee to examine the possibility of building a new East Junior High, rather than renovate the old, Doherty told the 1933 meeting which was assembled at the Phillips Academy cage.

From a newspaper account,

written by his brother William A. Doherty, the moderator told the session during which voters kept coars and boots on to guard against the cold and approved \$426,000 for additions to "Punchard High school." Ultimately the wing and auditorium cost the town \$537,000.

Total registration for the special session this week was 660 voters.

The opening prayer was given by Rev. Frederick Collins, pastor of St. Robert Bellarmine church and Selectmen Edward M. Harris led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Department Name Is Changed

What has been the Recreation/Community schools department, will henceforth be known as the Department of Community Services.

The change in designation, in use for the past several weeks, is expected to be made official Monday night when selectmen approve the reorganization plan as presented by Town Manager Jared S.A. Clark.

The change results from the

manager's reorganization of the department to include other services and improve the reporting process, or chain of command.

With the department of community development and the department of community services now in operation, the number of persons reporting directly to the manager has been reduced from 22 to 12.

Computers Heading For Town Hall

The town's new computer machinery is expected to be headed toward town hall within the week. Renovation of rooms to accommodate the equipment is nearing completion and it is anticipated

that the installation will be made early next week.

Town Manager Clark reports that the initial functions for the new data processing equipment will be payroll, followed by utility billing.

Doherty Reception Wednesday

The Doherty School faculty is planning a reception in honor of William Doherty on Dec. 20 at 8 a.m.

Because it is rare to have a building named for someone presently living, the faculty feels this will be a unique opportunity for the children at Doherty to meet the

person for whom their school has been named.

There will be a brief morning reception for faculty and friends, but the main purpose will be for the children to meet Mr. Doherty in their classes throughout the morning.

To Present 'Messiah' Sunday

The Andover Choral Society with over 75 voices will present Handel's "Messiah" in a repeat performance on Sunday, Dec. 17 at 7:30 p.m.

The soloists for this year's performance are Margaret Thomson, soprano; Andrea Atwood, alto and Richard Wall, tenor.

Maxine Calt, who for several years has assisted with her solo work at the piano, is the pianist and the organist will be Herbert Irvine. The performance is directed by J. Everett Collins. Admission is free.

Editor Views AIRS Program

The Andover Individualized Reading System (AIRS) receives high praise in the January issue of Teacher Magazine.

Editor Joan Sullivan Baranski, writing in her monthly column, Perspective, tells of a recent visit to Andover, where she observed AIRS in action. Her conclusion: it is an "extremely successful" program and "reading is alive and well in the Andover school system."

Ms. Baranski, who taught in Andover for several years before becoming editor-in-chief of Teacher, a leading national magazine for elementary school teachers,

also had words of praise for Superintendent Ken Seifert, for Theresa Gaffny Murphy, who heads the reading department in Andover, and for other members of the educational team who have helped make AIRS a success.

The program, conceived and developed in Andover, has been selected by Right to Read, a branch of HEW, for national distribution.

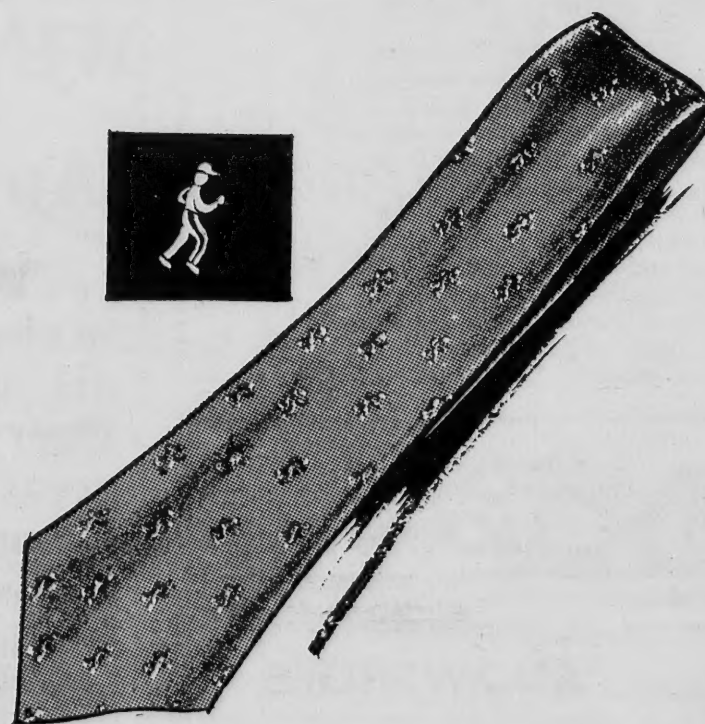
Wright Brothers Tribute

The Air Force ROTC group at the University of Lowell has imaginatively responded to a proclamation of President Jimmy Carter's naming Dec. 17 "Wright Brothers Day," with a free film festival.

Detachment 345, under the leadership of Lieutenant Colonel Donald E. Sheehan, will offer an aviation film program for the public from 12 noon to 6 p.m. at Cumnock Hall on the University campus. The Dec. 17 program has been scheduled to coincide with the 75th anniversary of the 1903 first named flight, from Kittyhawk, North Carolina.

Colonel Sheehan has cited the Air Force ROTC initiated program and Wright Day celebration, "an occasion for all Americans to stand a little taller, and be proud of the courage and genius of aerospace pioneers and our industrial technology which together have placed an indelible American stamp on aviation."

The history of aviation film program is open to the public.



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The permits issued mostly to developers totalled \$1,696,000.

Also issued during the month were permits for additions and alteration and others, bringing the monthly total for all issuances to \$1,894,974. Fees totalling \$9,600 were turned over to the treasurer.

New dwellings: Olympic Construction, Alonesos Way, six permits, \$52,000 each; Francis X. Robidoux, 2 Brundrett Ave., \$40,000; Yvon Cormier Construction, Waverly Road and Yardley road, 11 permits, nine at \$42,000, one at \$45,000 and one at \$37,000; Raye Homes, Inc., 71 Algonquin Ave., \$56,000; Wynwood Associates, Blueberry Circle, two permits, \$65,000 each; Phillip E. Kendall, 49 Sioux Circle, \$57,700; Traywick Homes, Inc., four permits, Lavender Hill Lane, \$40,000 each; C.R. Traywick, Jr., Inc., Lavender Hill, three permits, \$30,000 each; Arrowood Builders, 48 Pepperidge Circle, \$42,000; James V. DeCarolis, 50 Rindge Road, \$40,000; Belmont Development Corp., Woodhaven Drive, two permits, \$42,000 each; Apollo Builders, Inc., 28 Lavendar Hill Lane, \$45,000; Robert McCormack, 5 Dundas Ave., \$45,000; Robert K. Ahern, 58 Wabanaki Way, \$65,000; Land Realty Trust, 38 Tilton Lane, \$40,000.

Other structures: Charles N. Cutler, 50 Lucerne Drive, accessory building, \$150; Andrew S. Pendleton, 11 Osgood St., two car garage, \$2,500; Robert French, 111 Highland Road, accessory building, \$2,000; Ray Coots, 4 Whiffletree Circle, accessory building, \$5,000.

Additions and alterations: Mr. Mooris, 9 Abbot St., reroof, \$750; Mrs. David Burns, 6 Park St., alterations, \$3,000; Clark J. Sawyer, Jr., 514 South Main St., dormer, \$2,500; Richard Battles, 32 Marland St., fireplace, \$2,000; Joseph Kubit, 8 Lansbury Lane, woodburning stove, \$150; Laurence W. Gibson, 75 Argilla Road, woodburning stove, \$350; Dr. Weiss, Bateson Drive, enclose carport, \$3,500; Henry Powell, 31 Cheever Circle, reshingle roof and repairs, \$2,500; William L. Lane, 154 High Plain Road, install window and remodel kitchen, \$5,000; William Malvin, 19 Oriole Drive, \$1,100; Joseph Leone, Apple Blossom Lane, construct

chimney, \$1,400; Eugene Bernardin, 26 Chestnut St., alterations, \$3,000; Paul Long, 109 Main St., reroof, \$1,200; Harold Rutter, Morton St., reroof, \$3,500; Mr. Lancaster, 81 Cross St., woodburning stove, \$800; Henry Holt, 9 Canterbury St., reroof, \$950; Everett Gorrie, 108 Summer St., install door on garage, \$350; Dick Sumberg, 4 Woburn St., addition, \$16,000;

Winifred Gerrish, 27 Enmore St., vinyl siding, \$4,600; Robert Nutter, 50 Center St., vinyl siding, \$3,700; Concentration Specialists, Inc., 204 Andover St., alterations, \$2,800; Alfred Annuff, 18 Karlton Circle, addition, \$18,000; Howard Johnson Co., Inc., 560 South Main St., alterations, \$1,499; Reginald Marden, 4 Orchard St., kitchen alteration, \$1,000;

John Fisher, 71 Wildwood Road, fire damage repairs, \$3,000; Leaseway All Services, Inc., 160 Dascomb Road, alterations to warehouse, \$60,000; Douglas Mifflin, 113 Chestnut St., alterations, \$1,500; John J. Martellucci, 24R Boston Road, wood-siding, \$1,000; Clark J. Sawyer, Jr., 514 South Main St., woodburning stove, \$500; Mark Robinson, 193 Shawsheen Road, reroof, \$1,000; Town of Andover, Town Hall, alterations for computer room, \$9,994; Lorraine Johnson, 51 Red Spring Road, woodburning stove, \$130; Erich G. Brouady, 4 Enfield Drive, \$170; Regional Vocational School, River Road, remodeling, \$15,000; Albert F. Berry, 15 Glen Meadow Road, woodburning stove, \$600;

Paul J. Casaletto, 21 Marie Drive, two car garage, \$4,500; Anthony D'Agati, 22 Sunset Rock Road, finish basement, \$2,000; Kenneth O. Wilson, 93 Tewksbury St., woodburning stove, \$85; William Lewis, 25

Linda Road, woodburning stove, \$525; Margaret Schall, 22 Wildwood Road, woodburning stove, \$351.

Other permits: Peggy Hutchins, 180 Abbot St., tennis court, \$2,000; Arren

Kappeler, 17 Alden Road, swimming pool, \$6,000; Sheraton Rolling Green, four construction trailers; Cole Realty Trust, 4 Park St., sign, \$250; Barcelos Building, 66 Main St., sign, \$120.

Decorating The Tree

On Saturday morning, Dec. 16, from 10-12 noon, children at the Peabody Museum of Salem will make decorations to adorn the Christmas tree in the lobby of the Museum. Ornaments for the tree will be similar to those used to adorn Christmas trees in Salem in the 1800's — candies, cookies, packages and paper candles. Each child may help to decorate the tree in the lobby and also take home a special nautical ornament for his own tree. Each child may bring a parent to help celebrate. The sea still laps at Salem's door although the great Indians no longer slide into their berths. But the romance of those days can still be captured to enhance the Christmas festivities of Salem children. Today's children will link hands with the children of Salem's yesterday when they produce these old-time ornaments.

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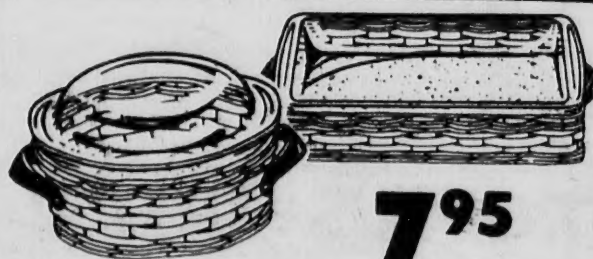
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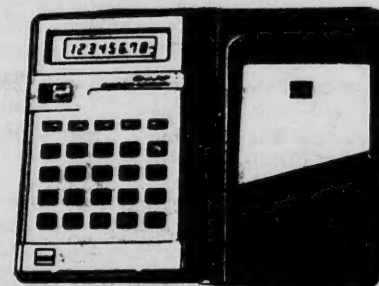
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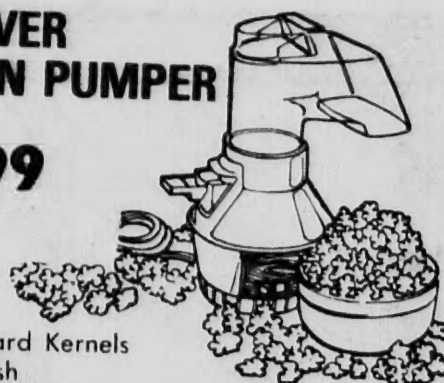
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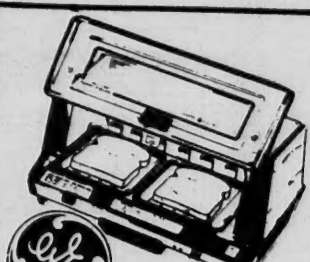
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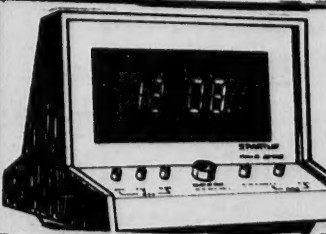
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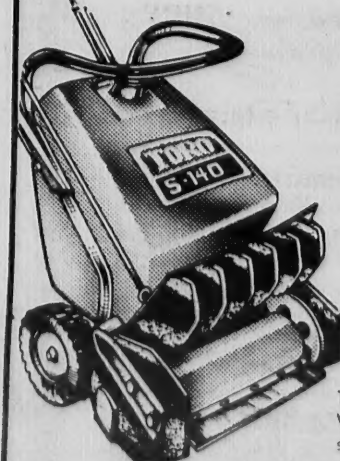
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Scholarship Winners At Elks

Andover Lodge of Elks 2198, 400 So. Main St., Andover, awarded three scholarships this year. One to Kathleen Alexander of Andover High School, and two to Greater Lawrence Vocational Technical School, one to Kathleen Muldoon and the other to Judy Dick, for a grand total of \$1,000.

The Andover Lodge Past Exalted Rulers club started the scholarship fund last Christmas season with the sale of Christmas trees & wreaths. The sale is conducted with the help of the lodge members.

All the proceeds are used for scholarships to Andover High school and Greater Lawrence Regional Vocational School.

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After several months of carpet manufacturing experience, he will undergo familiarization with order entry, shipping, credit, finance and marketing. Then, following a period of sales training in the field, he will be assigned the sales responsibility of several New England states.

Terry graduated from Andover High School, attended Plymouth State College and until recently was employed at the David Carpet warehouse in North Reading. The New England Carpet Company has completed the construction of a 100,000 sq. ft. manufacturing facility and expects to be in operation by Jan. 15. The company plans on continuing it's initial distribution to the New England states, New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania.

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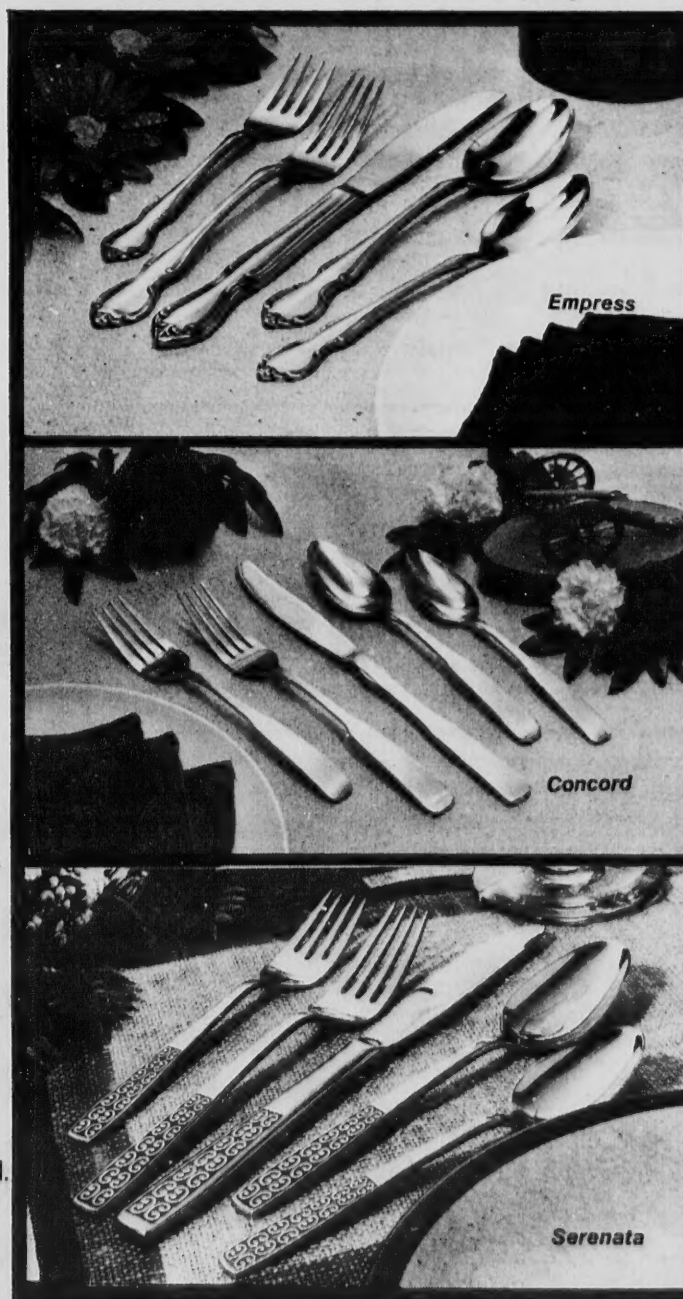
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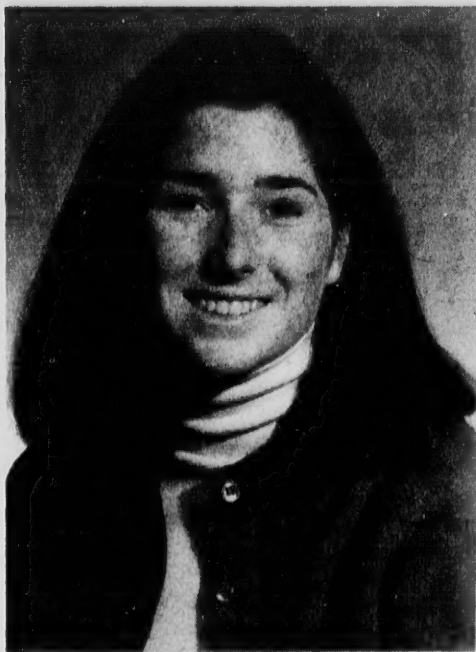
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Kathleen LeMaitre

the school yearbook, and is a member of the Social Functions Committee and the Press Club.

Kathleen, the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. George D. LeMaitre of 8 Sunset Rock Road in Andover, previously attended the Pike School in Andover.

Live Tree Extends Season

What better way to stretch your Christmas cheer into spring than by decking out a live Christmas tree you can plant outdoors after the holidays.

Jane Adler's "Keeping Your Christmas Tree Ever-Green" tells you how in the

December issue of 'Horticulture' magazine, published by the Massachusetts Horticultural Society, 300 Massachusetts Ave., Boston.

Start at your local nursery and make sure you choose a live tree, Adler cautions. Trees with frozen earth balls on their roots could be dead or unhealthy.

An ideal tree, she says, should have good fragrance and color and the needles should spring back when bent. Spraying the tree with an antidesiccant, a transparent plastic coating that helps retain moisture, is a good idea.

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Once in the house, wrap your tree's earth ball in plastic to hold moisture and

set it in a container away from the fireplace and forced air heat. Sixty-eight degrees Fahrenheit should keep your tree fresh for seven to 10 days. And don't cover it with flocking or fireproofing material.

After the holidays, take your tree back to the garage for a week, then plant it in a sunny spot in a hole six to nine inches wider and four to six inches deeper than the root ball. Mix the soil with about one-third peat moss.

Ease the root ball into the hole, filling it halfway with soil packed lightly. Pour a mixture of two gallons of water and water-soluble plant food into the earth ball. After it soaks in, fill the rest of the hole and add another gallon or two of water-soluble plant food. Finally, cover the basic area with two or three inches of a loose mulch or peat moss or leaves.

If you can't plant a tree outdoors, Adler recommends using a Christmas tree you can grow indoors year-round: the Norfolk pine. This evergreen is a beautiful plant

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To Study In France

Kathleen LeMaitre, an Andover 11th grader at Phillips Academy, has been selected to spend her winter term in a unique exchange program that will take her to Antibes, France from Dec. 28 to March 24.

Kathleen and three other French speaking Andover students will live with French families, with whose children they will attend the lycee Audiberti, equivalent to the local public high school in this town in southeastern France. In exchange, the Antibes host families will send children in June to study for six weeks in the Andover Summer Session, then spend three weeks at the homes of their respective American exchange students.

The Antibes exchange program for advanced French students is unique to Phillips, Andover. Off campus programs such as this exchange and scholarships for foreign students add to the diversity at the school which draws its 1,100 students from 45 states and many foreign countries.

In her two years at Andover, Kathleen has been an active participant in school life. She is a member of the jv basketball team, the jv softball team and the jv field hockey team, which was undefeated and unscored upon this year. She also works on

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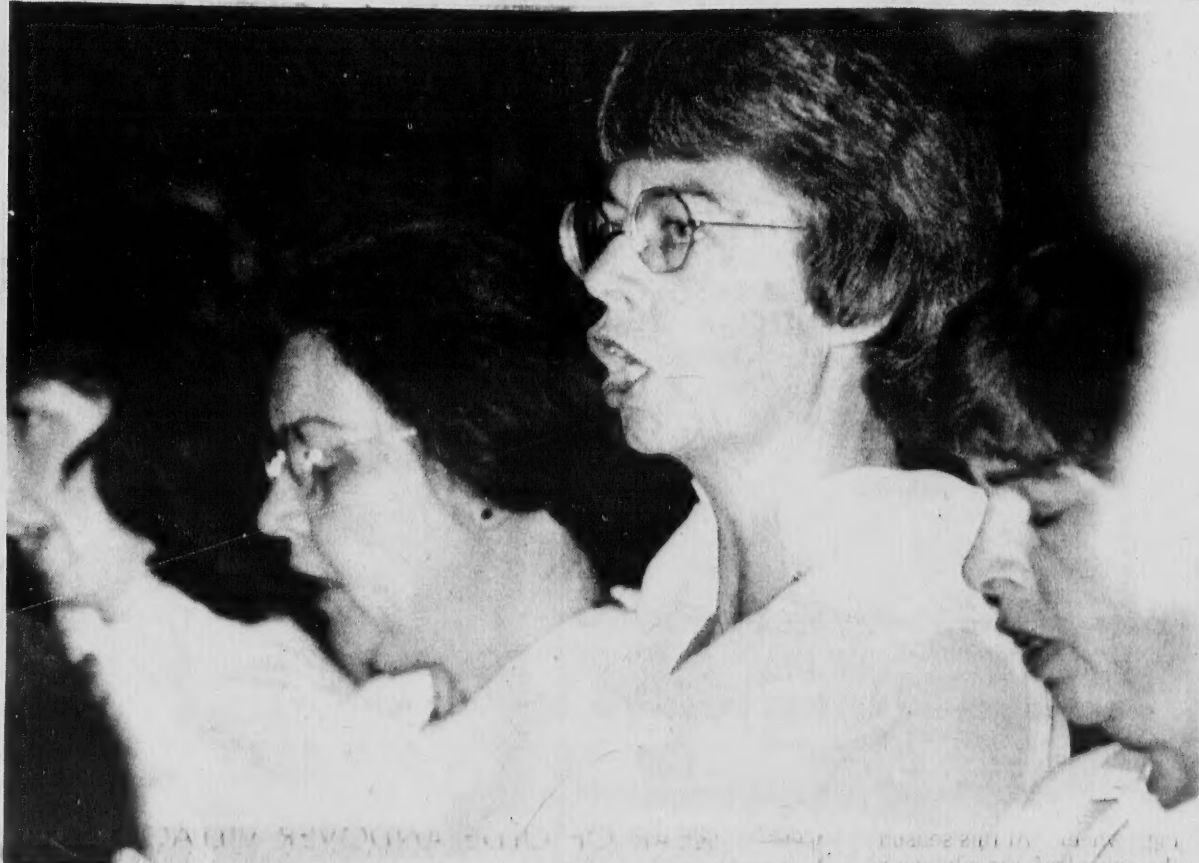
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49th Annual Messiah

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Honored For Service

Frank R. VanVleet (center), 10 Paulornette Circle in Andover, accepts a 20-year diamond service pin from Richard T. McDermott (left), President, and Arthur W. Chesterton, Vice President, A. W. Chesterton Company. VanVleet is Co-Director of Product Development and Research of the 94-year-old Company. He received the award at the 1978 Chesterton Employees Achievement Weekend in Bermuda.

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Hearing Set On Grant

A public meeting has been scheduled for Thursday, Dec. 28, at 7 p.m. at the Lawrence Public Library (51 Lawrence St., Lawrence) by the Board of Trustees of the Merrimack Valley Health Planning Council. The purpose of this meeting is to provide an opportunity for residents of the Merrimack Valley to review and comment on the agency's renewal grant application.

Serving as Health Systems Agency III in Massachusetts, the full designation renewal agreement will be filed on Feb. 1, with the Department of Health, Education and Welfare.

Prior to the public meeting, a draft of the application will be available for public inspection at the Council offices at 120 Parker St., Lawrence, on and after Dec. 14, 1978. Copies will also be at the reference desks of the following public libraries:

Lowell Public Library, Lawrence Public Library, Haverhill Public Library, and Newburyport Public Library.

The Council grant application contains the record of work which has been completed during the current year toward achieving Work Program objectives. There are seven functional areas of responsibility: agency organization and management, plan development, plan implementation/health systems development, plan implementation/review activities, data management and analysis, coordination, and public involvement.

The word Yule, or "Jul" in Sweden, may come from an old work "Hjul," meaning "wheel." At this season the wheel of the old year turns over to the new.



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Bellringers In Concerts



Andover High school Bellringers, under the direction of Keith Gould will perform on Channel 4 'Show of Faith' program on Sunday, Dec. 24 at 10:30 a.m. The newly formed organization will also perform in Andover Sunday, Dec. 17 at 5 p.m. at the high school concert and Sunday, Dec. 18 at 7:30 p.m. at West Junior High Auditorium. Members include, seated, from left, Kathy O'Brien, Carol Beninati, Krista Hering, Keith Gould, director; Cheryl Taft, Cara Cheyette and Cathy Coughlin. Standing, Barry Ota, Debby Grant, Barbara Norris, Jennie Casanave, Martha Taft, Aimee Poor and Douglas Taylor.

WJH Happenings

By Kim Byrne

The WJH float in Andover's annual Christmas parade placed second in the judging.

The first basketball game for the girls team will be on Dec. 15.

An ECHO group from West went to Boston to see the "Nutcracker" on Dec. 12.

Christmas and Hanukah decorations are up at West. These include a Christmas tree in the hall in front of the main office.

West Side Singers will be carolling at the Andover Savings Bank on Saturday, Dec. 16, beginning at ten o'clock, along with other choral groups. The Christmas show is scheduled for Dec. 19, under the direction of Mr. Gould.

Cheerleading tryouts were held on Monday Dec. 11.

Thursday, Dec. 7, a group of ninth grade civics students went to Lawrence District court as a supplement to their study of the judicial system.

On Friday, Dec. 8, West held its Christmas dance.

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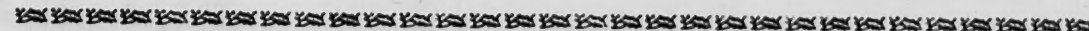
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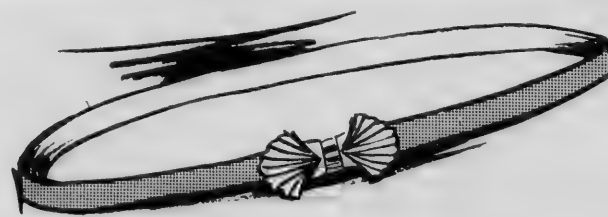
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Accepted

Paul Upson, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Paul Upson of 7 William St., in Andover, has been accepted for the Spring 1979 semester at New Hampshire College in Manchester, N.H.

Paul will matriculate in the college's four-year Hotel-Resort-Tourism Administration program.

He is a 1976 graduate of Andover High School. Paul also attended the Northern Essex Community College in Haverhill.

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Dec. 19 — West Jr. High Holiday Concert, 7:30 p.m.

Dec. 20 — East Jr. High Holiday Concert, 7:30 p.m.

Dec. 22 — Christmas Vacation begins at END of

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Dec. 27 — West Jr. High Student Government skating party at Phillips Academy

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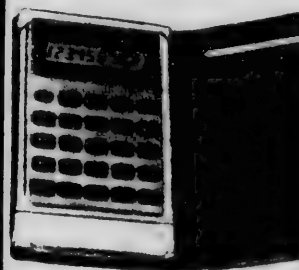
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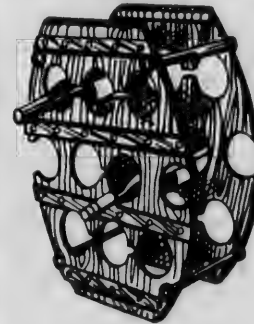
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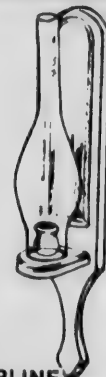


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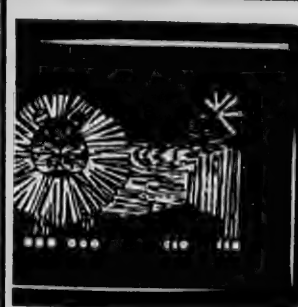
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More vehicles on the road, an increase in alcohol consumption and Old Man Winter can make driving during the holiday season a harrowing experience. "It is an unfortunate probability that these factors could result in 21 to 25 highway deaths over the two three-day Christmas and New Year's weekends," con-

tinued Moriarty.

For the upcoming holidays, Moriarty points out that the keys to safe driving are common sense and courtesy.

Moriarty suggests:

Reduce speed and increase following distances on slippery roads. Your car will take anywhere from three to nine times more distance to stop on an icy or snowy road than on a dry one. Temperature also plays an extremely impor-

tant role in the slipperiness of ice and packed snow. At temperatures near freezing (32 degrees F) the braking distance on glare ice may be as much as twice the stopping distance at zero degrees Fahrenheit.

Be sure that your vehicle has been winterized and that you carry flares or other warning devices.

When slowing or stopping on slippery pavements, "pump" your brakes. An intermittent

pumping action keeps your wheels rolling and helps maintain steering control.

If your car should start to skid, don't panic and, above all, don't hit the brakes. Take your foot off the accelerator and countersteer (steer in the direction you want the car to go.)

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Statistics compiled by Dr. Mary E. McGauvran, Vice-President for Student Affairs, involved an overview of student characteristics, college board scores, and average family income.

College Entrance Examination Board (CEEB) analysis of Admission data shows that despite the fact that state and national average scores are lower, the average scores of incoming freshman at the University of Lowell have actually risen over the past four years. Dr. McGauvran reports in her study, that average U. Lowell scores for 1978-1979 are higher than those of national, regional, and state averages.

Test scores showed that over the past four years the University of Lowell has had an increase in the verbal score average of 466 in 1975 to 470 in 1978, and an increase in the math score average from 523 in 1975 to 535.5 in 1978 for incoming freshman at Lowell.

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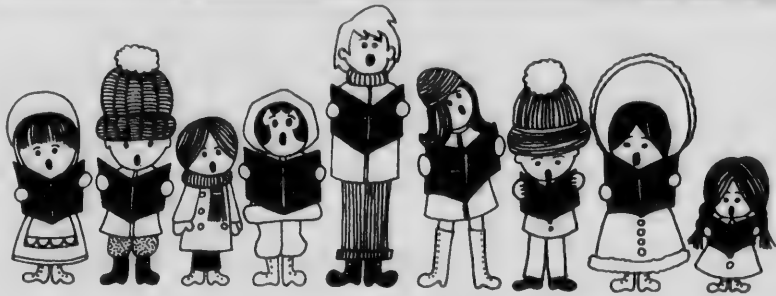
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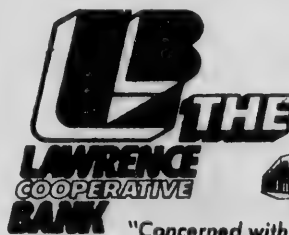


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Dec. 14 — Doherty School, directed by Bar-

bara Glines, 5 p.m.; Free Christian Church Choir, 7:30 p.m.

Dec. 15 — Doherty School, 5 p.m.; Heritage Chorale of Andover Bible Chapel, 7:30 p.m.

Dec. 20 — Andover High School.

Dec. 21 — Andover High School.



Decorative Touch

Mary Schelling instructs Paula Ouellette of Andover on how to make Christmas decorations at the Christmas decoration workshop run by the Department of Community Services at the Doherty School.

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The Honor Roll at Central Catholic High School for the first quarter of the 1978-79 academic year has been announced by the school's principal Brother William C. Lambert.

On the Principal's List, naming students who have earned quarter academic scholarships, Stephen Farrington of 7 Charlotte Drive, Andover, a freshman.

Students from Andover winning First Honors by earning an A average with no grade lower than a B were: Seniors — Terrance Reilly of 6 Olympia Way; Sophomores — Stephen Paradis of 89 Abbot St.; Freshmen — Stephen Farrington, Jeffrey Pitocchelli of 7 Stevens Circle.

Second Honors winners from Andover who earned a B average with no grade lower than a C were: Seniors — Greg Stelzer of 6 Seminole Circle, Shawn

Vecchiolla of 18 Brady Loop; Juniors — Robert Jowett of 10 Virginia Road, Brian McGettrick of 45 School St., Joseph Veilleux of 137 Haggett's Pond Road; Sophomores — Thomas Gaudet of 44

Juliette St., Joseph Gleason of 315 Salem St.; Freshmen — Joseph Buzzett of 6 Deerberry La., John Hannon of 5 Apollo Circle, Timothy Hart of 2 Arundel St., Mark Paradis of 89 Abbott St.



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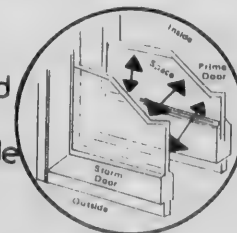
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May Wedding Is Planned

Mr. and Mrs. Richard A. Palmer of 96 Richmond Hill Road, New Canaan, Conn. have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Dede Palmer, to David B. Perron of Andover.

Miss Palmer attended New Canaan High School and was graduated from Rollins College, Winter Park, Florida. She is currently employed by LaRoche Ford Tractor Inc. of North Reading. Miss Palmer is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Percy W. Hoyt of New Canaan and Deland, Florida and Mrs. Robert M. Palmer, Sr. of Westport.

Mr. Perron is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph A. Perron of 64 North St. He attended schools in Andover, and is associated with R. & K. Precision Machine of Middleton. He is the grandson of Mrs. Alice Cleghorn of Nashua, N. H.

A May 19 wedding is planned.



Dede Palmer



Mary O. Harnden

Miss Harnden Is Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Harnden of Andover Street, have announced the engagement of their daughter Mary, to Christian L. Murch, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Murch of Rockport.

A graduate of Andover High and Salem State College, Miss Harnden is employed at South School. Her fiancé, a graduate of Rockport High and the University of Rhode Island, is a pewter craftsman and manager of the Pewter Shop on Bearskin Neck, Rockport.

They plan to be married June 30, 1979.

Holiday Fair At Center

The North Pole's moving to North Andover! Santa casts his magic spell over the ECLC Learning Center, 594 Chickering Road, on Saturday, December 16 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

In a setting straight out of Dickens, the ECLC's Holiday Fair will feature homemade bakeries and arts and crafts for children, as well as, adults. Stroll through the International Cafe and lunch on delicacies from around the world — in-

cluding Greek, Indian, Chinese, French and Mexican to name a few.

From 10:15 a.m. to 11 a.m. the "Kitchen Sink" will present a children's mime theatre performance. By noon Santa Claus, himself, will arrive with something special for each little girl and boy present.

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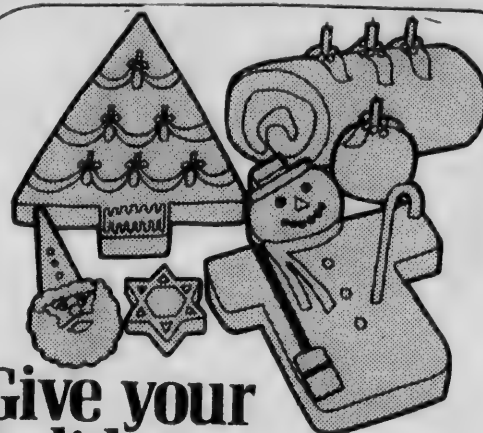
The Andover-North Andover YMCA will conduct several special programs during the Christmas Season.

The Annual Christmas Jubilee will be held this Saturday Dec. 16, for members who are in grade 1-6. Prior registration is required. Competition by grade in gym activities and aquatic games are planned for the morning program.

The annual Christmas Party for boys and girls in grades 1-6 is scheduled Saturday, Dec. 23, 9 a.m. - 12 noon. Tickets must be purchased in advance since enrollment is limited. A pre-school Christmas Party will be held Friday, Dec. 22, 3:30-5 p.m. for boys and girls 3, 4 & 5 years of age. Purchase tickets in advance at the "Y" desk. Both parties are open to the public and proceeds benefit the Junior Leaders' Clubs.

A ski trip to Crotched Mountain is scheduled for Wednesday, Dec. 27. Boys and girls in grades 7-12 and adult members interested in this activity may obtain details at the Haverhill St. building.

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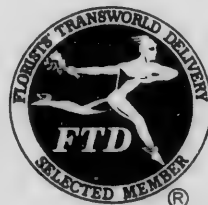
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Holiday Discussion

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Best Buys Listed

Citrus fruit, winter pears, apples and grapes are some of the timelier best food buys for December.

They're ideal for creating holiday table decorations, colorful gift baskets, and for fast family desserts during this busy season of the year.

Cranberries are another good buy. As a possible alternative to costly raisins, they can add both color and flavor to a wide variety of holiday baked goods. The native berries are also good in homemade gifts of

jellies and conserves — and even garlands to trim the tree.

Grapefruit and tangerines are the most plentiful citrus, though lemons and tangelos are also reasonably priced. In navel oranges — the old fashioned "stocking stuffer" — you'll find this year's crop is running extra large in size.

In vegetables, potatoes and onions are at bargain prices.

The potato crop is the largest in U.S. history, so enjoy it in chowders, stews and

hearty wintertime dishes.

Other good vegetable buys are broccoli, turnips, winter squashes and eggplant, as well as lettuce, cukes, cabbage and carrots for slaws and salads.

At meat counters, chicken is the best value and watch for holiday specials on turkey and hams. Chuck cuts remain the best beef buys, and shorter supplier forecast for 1979 point to higher retail prices. Cod, pollock and mackerel are the better fish values.

Christmas Party For Gardeners

The Village Garden Club of Andover welcomes the holiday season with its annual Christmas party and gift swap to be held this evening at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Michael Beckerman.

After a brief meeting, the club's Horticulture Committee will present a talk entitled, "Whats New" — the latest and best books now available for gardeners.

Hostesses for the evening will be Jean Bottomley, Sandy Carothers, Cynthia Madden, Sue Daly and Ann Fuchs.

In token of Christ's birth in a manger, Poles spread hay on the floor and Lithuanians have straw under the tablecloth at their festive Christmas Eve meal.

Treasurer

Barbara A. Kelley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul G. Kelley, of 5 Kenilworth St., Andover, has been elected treasurer of the history Club at Regis College in Weston, it was announced recently.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. Lawrence DeHaan

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At home in Watertown, are Mr. and Mrs. S. Lawrence DeHaan, who were married November 25 at Temple Emanuel, Lawrence.

The bride is the former Linda Beth Turow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George S. Turow of 30 Royal Crest Drive, North

Andover. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob K. DeHaan of Brookline.

The new Mrs. DeHaan, a graduate of Andover High School and LaSalle Junior College, is employed at Children's Hospital, Boston. Her husband, a graduate of Brookline High School and Boston College, works for Radio Station WWEL in Boston.

Brownie Troop 76 Activities

Under the leadership of Terry Lewandowski and Charlene Anderson, Brownie Troop 76 has been very active. In addition to their regular meetings at Sanborn School, they have gone roller skating at Skateland and have been on a guided tour of the Lawrence Eagle Tribune.

The highlight of November was their Investiture after which the girls served their mothers refreshments.

December is already busy with the girls donating to "Toys for Tots" and going to individual homes for cookie bakes.

To add to the seasons festivities Troop 76 will be Christmas carolling on Dec. 16 and enjoying a Christmas Party on Dec. 21.



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In the design division: Mrs. Thomas Stark, Mrs. Rudolph Muto, Mrs. Vincent Suozzo, Mrs. Joseph Hoffman, Mrs. George Bragdon, Mrs. Richard Kluck. The Creativity Award went to Mrs. Thomas Stark, and the Tricolor Award to Mrs. Rudolph Muto.

In the Horticulture Division the Ar-

boreal Award went to Mrs. Harold Duston. The Award of Merit was received by: Mrs. Joseph Finn, Mrs. Karl Killorin, and Mrs. Robert Richards. The Award of Horticultural Excellence went to Mrs. Robert Richards.

The Garden Club also received the Education Award for the presentation of 19th Century Harvesting Tools, Mrs. Richard LoBuglio chairman.

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Oriental Rug Course

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All age groups are welcome.

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Rabbi Roth Is Honored

Rabbi Harry A. Roth of Andover shows Thirtieth Anniversary Award of State of Israel Bonds at recent testimonial dinner honoring him for outstanding service on behalf of the Greater Lawrence community, Israel Bond campaign and the State of Israel. The tribute, sponsored by the Lawrence-Andover Jewish Community to raise development funds for Israel through the

Israel Bond drive, was held at Temple Emanuel, Lawrence. From left, Sidney Swartz, chairman of the Greater Lawrence Israel Bond Committee; Prof. Efraim Torgovnik, guest speaker; Rabbi Roth; Mrs. Roth and Harvey Kirstein, chairman of the North Shore Israel Bond campaign.

OBITUARIES

SANTA RABITO BEAUMONT

Santa (Pistorio) Rabito Beaumont, 78, 44 Morton St., Andover, died Monday at Bon Secours hospital following a short illness.

Mrs. Beaumont was born in Tri Castagni, Italy, April 13, 1900. She came to this country as a young girl.

A member of the Andover Lodge of Elks, she attended St. Augustine's Church.

She is survived by her husband George Beaumont; a son, Santo M. Rabito of Lawrence; a daughter, Mary, wife of Frank Law of Glendora, Calif.; a brother, James Pistorio of California, 12 grandchildren, 16 great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

A mass will be offered Friday at 10 a.m. in St. Augustine's Church. Burial will be in Spring Grove Cemetery.

Friends may call Thursday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m., at the Cataudella Funeral Home, 160 Garden St., Lawrence.

EDWARD J. SHEEHAN

Edward J. Sheehan, 65, 6 Memorial Circle, Andover, died Friday at Bon Secours hospital following a long illness.

Born in Holyoke Feb. 4, 1913, he lived in Andover 30 years and was employed as a custodian at the Tyre Rubber Co. until his retirement in March 1977.

He attended St. Augustine's Church, Andover.

He is survived by his wife, Emma V. Sheehan; two sons, Leonard James

Sheehan of East Hampton and Kenneth Francis Sheehan of Andover; two daughters, Deborah Desjardin of Little Rock, Ark., and Eileen Marie Sheehan of Andover; two brothers, John and Francis Sheehan, both of Holyoke; three sisters, Dorothy Hosley of Springfield, Nora Labrecque of Holyoke and Erline Plitcha of South Hadley; and three grandchildren.

A funeral mass was held Monday at 10 a.m. at St. Augustine's Church. Burial was in Spring Grove Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Cancer Society.

Births...

POJASEK — A son, Andrew Michael, Dec. 5, at Lawrence General hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pojasek, 53 Carmel Road, Andover. The mother was Janice Parker.

BERUBE — A daughter, Dec. 1, at Lawrence General hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. Roger W. Berube, 5 Lincoln St., Andover. The mother was Linda Vaccarino.

TYNING — A daughter, Holly Ann, Nov. 29, to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Tynning, III, 443 Flint St., Marstons Mills. The mother was Gayle Smith. The parents are former Andover residents.

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Amy Yopp

Advent Festival Opens

Tonight South Church will open its four-day Advent festival with a performance by the Covenant Players from Los Angeles in the church sanctuary in Andover at 7 p.m.

This will be followed by an interpretative dance program by Amy Yopp tomorrow evening, a community fellowship dinner and musical drama by the Gift of Love Singers on Saturday and the choral and dramatic programs by the church choirs on Sunday.

The Coventry Players are a renowned international repertory theatre with a unique type of drama designed to stimulate thought during the entertainment. Using minimal props and no scenery, a lot of the

audience's imagination and a vast repertoire of one-act plays and vignettes, the Players transport the viewer to a wide variety of settings. The unusual format has left audiences on four continents both laughing and squirming at seeing "bits of themselves" portrayed on the stage.

Amy Yopp uses the dance to express the joy of sharing, which, in fact, is the major topic in this festival. Ms. Yopp has been trained in both dance and religious education and has worked beautifully in the last two years to further the development of arts in the church. Her performance will begin at 7 p.m.

The Gift of Love Singers on Saturday

Concert

On Sunday afternoon, Dec. 17, at 2:30, Thomas Kelly, a member of the Wellesley College music faculty and director of the Castle Hill summer concerts, will lead members of the Wellesley Collegium Musicum in a concert of 16th century French chamber music. The instruments they use which include the harpsichord and viola da gamba are authentic originals. "It is the only way to recreate the true sound of this music," says Mr. Kelly, who has long been interested in early music and its instrumentation. There is no additional charge for this entertainment.

The Battle of Bennington was not fought at Bennington, Vermont, but at Walloom-sac, N.Y.

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This special celebration of Advent concludes on Sunday, Dec. 17, at 5 p.m., with music and drama by the handbell, youth and sanctuary choirs of South Church. Featured will be the youth choir doing the "365 Days of Christmas Each Year," a musical drama depicting the daily blessings found in God's love. The adult choirs will add light and joyous musical praise. The audience will be invited to join in singing Christmas carols.

South Church believes this Advent festival is a gift of true substance to the whole community in appreciation of the many blessings the Church has received. Everyone is invited to come and share every part of the festival.

Two thousand sea otters along the Big Sur coast of California are expanding their range two miles a year, Massachusetts Audubon reports.

Hans Brinker

As a special vacation treat for children of all ages, the Boston Children's Theatre is presenting its holiday production of "Hans Brinker" at New England Life Hall Dec. 16 and during school vacation week Dec. 26, 27, 28, 29 and 30 at 2 p.m.

The skating race, everyone's favorite scene, is especially exciting, with the aisles of the theatre becoming veritable "frozen canals" as the children "skate" up and down them.

For information and reservations, write or call the Boston Children's Theatre, 791 Hammond St., Chestnut Hill, MA 02167.

Choral Arts To Present 'Messiah'

The Lawrence Choral Arts Society will present a performance of Handel's "Messiah" on Saturday, Dec. 16 at 8 p.m. in St. Laurence O'Toole's Church, East Haverhill St., Lawrence.

The performers will include the Choral Arts Society, the Celebrity Chamber Orchestra and premiere Boston soloists.

This will be the Choral Arts Society's first performance. The group is sponsored by the Lawrence Community Schools Program.

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On Sunday, Dec. 17, there will be a Christmas pageant at the Ballard Vale United Church at 4:30 p.m. It will be a multimedia event. The children of the Church School have been working on slides for several weeks. Special gifts for needy children in the Lawrence area will be brought at this time. A sandwich swap and supper will close the afternoon. Parents and families are invited to attend. The day is being planned by the Education Task Force and directed by Hannah Darling and Diane Ely.

On Sunday, Dec. 24, the Church School will meet at the usual time of 9:30 and the Christmas morning worship service will be at 11. That evening there will be two Christmas Eve services: a family candlelight and carols service at 7 p.m. and a Christmas communion service at 11 p.m.

Campbell Appearing In Concert

Andy Campbell of 148 Shawsheen Road, Andover, a student at the University of Lowell will perform in two concert broadcasts on Dec. 19 and 24.

As a member of the College of Music Concert Choir, he will appear on the WCVB-TV (Channel Five) "Good Morning" show, Dec. 19 from 9 a.m. to 10:30 a.m., under the direction of Dr. Edward F. Gilday.

The University Concert Choir performance of Dec. 14, at the Cyrus Durgin Hall arts center on the campus, will additionally be taped and played on Merrimack Valley radio station WCAP (980 AM), on Dec. 24 at 3 p.m.

Both appearances by the Lowell Choir will feature Christmas carols and seasonal selections from around the world.

Christmas Dinner

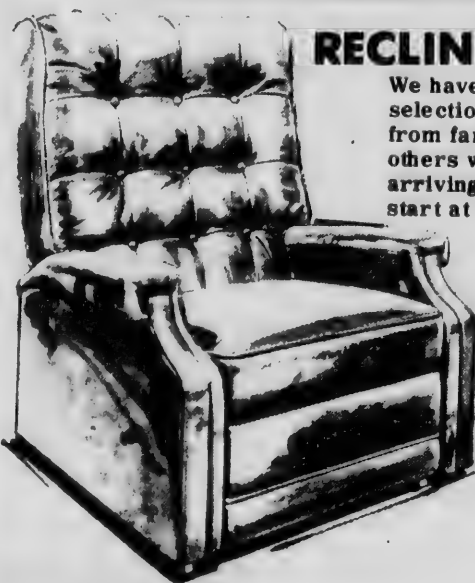
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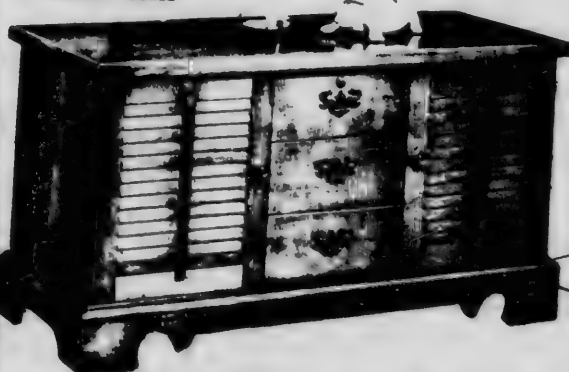
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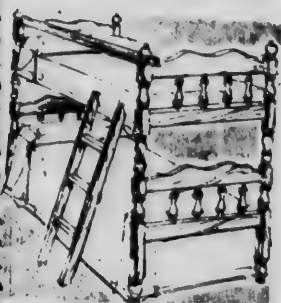
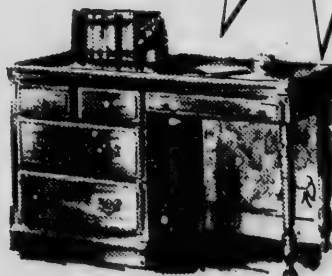
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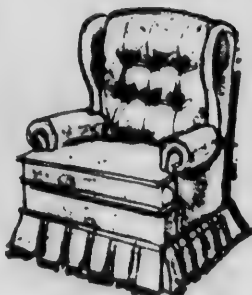
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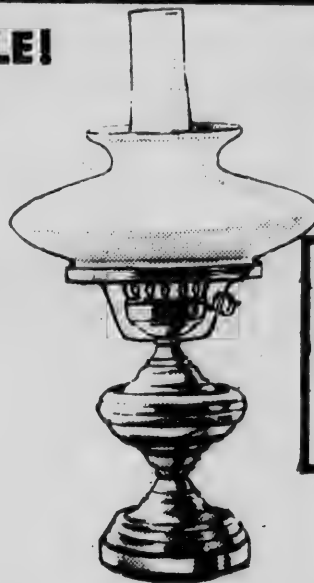
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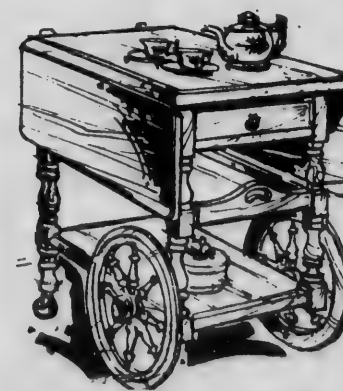
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Polish Carol

Benediction

Closing Hymn 36

"O Come All Ye Faithful"

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33 Johnson St., North Andover
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Rev. Russell Richardson, Interim Pastor

SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Sunday School;
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Study; 7 p.m. Worship Service. Nursery
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Bible Chapels

Andover Bible Chapel

266 Lowell St., Andover

SUNDAY: 9:15 a.m. Communion Ser-
vice; 11 a.m. Family Bible Hour and Sun-
day School; 6 p.m. Evening Service; 7
p.m. Youth Group.

MONDAY: 6:45 p.m. Awana Club —
Boys & Girls.

WEDNESDAY: 7:45 p.m. Prayer & Bi-
ble Study.

Fellowship Bible Chapel

Rev. Joseph Stringer

525 Turnpike St., North Andover

SUNDAY: 10:30 a.m. Worship Service.

Catholic

St. Augustine's Church

Rev. Edward Robinson, O.S.A.

Pastor

43 Essex St., Andover

SATURDAY: Masses 4 p.m. and 5:30
p.m.

SUNDAY: Masses at 8, 10, 11:15 a.m.;
12:30, 5:30 p.m.

Holy Day Masses: 7, 8, 10:30 a.m.; 5:30
and 7 p.m. Evening before - 4 and 5:30
p.m.

PENANCE: Saturday 10 a.m.-12 noon, 7-
8 p.m.

Baptisms: Fourth Sunday of the
month. Expecting parents should contact
the rectory prior to the child's birth to
register for Baptismal workshop.

St. Robert Bellarmine Church

Rev. Frederick J. Collins

Pastor

Haggetts Pond Road, Andover

SATURDAY: Masses 5:00 p.m.

SUNDAY: Masses: 7:30, 9:00, 10:30
a.m., 12 Noon and 5:30 p.m. (Youth).

St. Joseph's Church

High St., Ballardvale

SUNDAY: Masses 9, 10:15 and 11:30

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Force." Evening services every first and
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Wednesday: 8 p.m. Testimony Meeting.

Congregational

Free Christian Church

Rev. Dr. Jack L. Daniel, Jr.

Minister

31 Elm St., Andover

THURSDAY: 10 a.m. Sewing Circle;
7:30 p.m. Choir to Carol at Town Hall.

FRIDAY: 1 p.m. Faith Exploration.

SUNDAY: 10:30 a.m. Worship Service
with Reception of new members, Church
School Christmas Pageant. Church School
Christmas Party to follow Pageant in
Lower Hall; 11:30 a.m. Coffee Hour.

MONDAY: 7:30 p.m. Show Committee.

TUESDAY: 7 p.m. Cub Pack.

WEDNESDAY: 3:30 p.m. Jr. Girl
Scouts; 5:30 p.m. Jr. Fellowship; 7:30
p.m. Sr. Fellowship; 7:30 p.m. Bible Study
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South Church

(United Church of Christ)

Rev. Dr. Westy A. Egmont

41 Central St., Andover

SUNDAY: 9:15 a.m. Pastor's Class;
Church School classes — Nursery through
Adult; 10:30 a.m. Service of Worship;
Rev. Dr. Westy Egmont will preach on the
Advent Sermon Series — "Gifts of God."
Crib room, 3 Year Old Class, Discovery
Room for 4 year olds through 4th grade;
11:30 a.m. Coffee Hour; 5:00 Advent
Festival — Junior Choir presentation of
"365 days of Christmas a Year" and Sane-
ctuary Choir will present a contemporary
Christmas story in word and song.

MONDAY: 9:30 a.m. TWIGS; 2:30 p.m.
Handbell Choir; 6:30 p.m. Danvers Group;
7:30 p.m. Meeting of Board of Trustees.

TUESDAY: 8:00 p.m. Ping Pong for the
men.

WEDNESDAY: 7:30 p.m. Bible Study.

THURSDAY: 3:30 p.m. Junior Choir
rehearsal; 7:30 p.m. Sanctuary Choir
rehearsal.

West Parish Church

(United Church of Christ)

Rev. Otis A. Maxfield
129 Reservation Rd., Andover

SUNDAY: 9 a.m. Third Sunday in Ad-
vent; "Lucia Celebration" — Christmas
breakfast; with carol singing and
storytelling — decoration of Bethlehem
Tree; 10:30 a.m. Worship Service —
lighting of the Third Candle — Otis Max-
field preaching — Sunday School during
the Worship Service; 7 p.m. P. F. group
and family caroling party.

Episcopal

Christ Church

Rev. J. Edison Pike, Rector

25 Central St., Andover

SUNDAY: 8 a.m. Holy Communion;
9:30 a.m. Family Worship Service (com-
munion 1st Sun. of Month); 10:15 a.m.
First Session Church School; Adult
Forum; 10:30 a.m. Family Worship Ser-
vice; 11:15 a.m. Second Session Church
School; Adult Forum.

St. Paul's Episcopal Church

Rev. Alexander S. Daley, Rector

390 Main St., North Andover

SUNDAY: 8 a.m. Holy Communion; 10
a.m., Morning Service.

THURSDAY: 7:30 p.m. Worship Ser-
vice.

Egg Nog Social

On Sunday, Dec. 17, a
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Mitzvah.

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SUNDAY: 9 a.m. and sundown.

Lutheran

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Rev. Dennis Kohl, Pastor

360 So. Main St., Andover

SUNDAY: 9:15 a.m. Sunday School
Christmas Practice for third through sixth
grades; 10:30 a.m. The Service: The Third
Sunday in Advent. Children's Sermonette:
"Symbols of Christmas" The Sermon:
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olds through second grades; Fellowship

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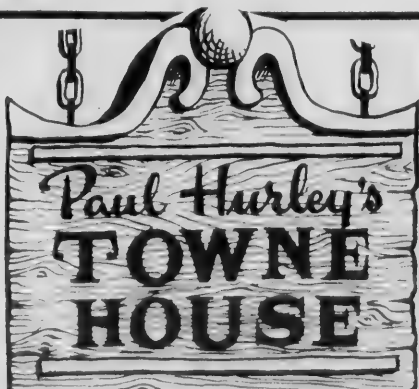
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Helen Robinson and her Haven Singers have been busy spreading Christmas cheer, too. They entertained the residents of Chestnut Court and Grandview Terrace on Dec. 13 and will do the same for those living at the Academy Nursing Home Dec. 20. If you like to sing, why not join the group at The Haven every Wednesday afternoon.

You should begin watching for news of mid-winter classes to be given at The Haven. One has already been set up — Beginners Oil Painting, scheduled for Jan. 15 at 9:30 a.m. under the expert and enjoyable instruction of Margaret Pike Cronin. Another in the planning stage is Frances Dixon's course in Knitting and Crocheting. The day and time have not yet been established. If you want to participate, now is the time to let The Haven know and to help them establish the meeting time. Call either 475-3968 or 475-4165 and let them know.

The next session of the Mini-Clinic will be held in Ballardvale at the United Church, Dec. 19, from 2 to 4 p.m. Patients are seen by appointment only. If you are interested call The Board of Health to arrange the time for you to attend.

Don't forget the Pot Luck lunch at The Haven Dec. 27. It is helpful for you to call The Haven and tell them what you plan to contribute to the luncheon. They'll also come up ideas if you ask.

The Hot Lunch program will not be held Christmas week because the schools will be closed. Lunch will resume Jan. 2.

The snow policy for The Haven is essentially that of the public schools. If the schools are closed because of snow, The Haven will be closed also. If you wonder, telephone The Haven before starting out, rather than coming all the way to only find it closed.

The Haven will be closed both Christmas and New Years Days. The staff at The Haven and this writer wish you a happy holiday.

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CHURCHES

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hour after the service: Christmas Cookie Smorgasbord; 7 p.m. Word and Witness Class.

MONDAY: 7:30 p.m. Choir.

THURSDAY: 7 p.m. 7th grade Confirmation class; 8 p.m. 8th grade Confirmation lass.

FRIDAY: 7 p.m. Youth Group Christmas Party, 69 Carmel Road, Andover.

SATURDAY: 10 a.m. Sunday School Practice for Christmas, only third through sixth graders; 11 a.m. Choir practice.

Unitarian

Unitarian-Universalist Church
244 Lowell St., Andover
Dr. Randolph W. Lehman-Becker
Minister

THURSDAY: 9:30 a.m. Mothers and Pre-Schoolers Drop-In Discussion Group.

SUNDAY: 10:30 a.m. Choir rehearsal; Adult Discussion; Religious Education for Youth; 11:15 a.m. Service. The Rev. Gayle Lehman-Becker conducts the service.

MONDAY: 12:30 p.m. Overeaters Anonymous.

TUESDAY: 8 p.m. Andover Townsman Barbershop Singers rehearsal.

WEDNESDAY: 6 p.m. Potluck Dinner for all comers . . . bring food to share.

THURSDAY: 9:30 a.m. Mothers and Pre-schoolers Open Discussion Group.

Unitarian Church
Rev. David M. Blanchard
190 Academy Road
North Andover
SUNDAY: 10:30 a.m. Worship Service.

United Church Of Christ

Trinitarian Congregational Church
Rev. Herbert I. Schumm
72 Elm St., North Andover
SUNDAY: 10 a.m. Worship Service, Church School.

United Methodist

Ballard Vale United Church
(United Methodist & U.C.C.)
Rev. David A. Hollenbeck
23 Clark Road, Andover
SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Church School; 11 a.m. Worship Service.

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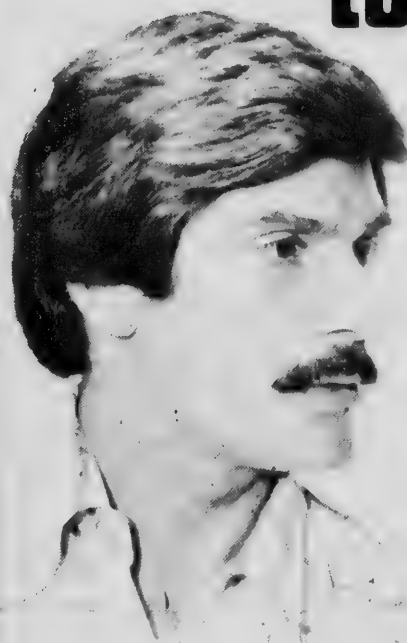
Awareness Project

As part of an awareness project for the promotion of recycling, West Junior High students, Laura Howard and Robyn West, have made these signs for the Andover Recycling Committee. The girls worked under the direction of Steve Tisbert and the industrial arts department.

The Land

A Cherokee Indian has written: We cannot separate our place on the earth from our lives on the earth. We are taught from childhood that the animals, the trees and plants that we share a place with are our brothers and sisters. When we speak of land we speak of something sacred, Massachusetts Audubon notes.

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Sign-up for the senior high school weekend ski trip to Sugarloaf Mountain began on Wednesday, Dec. 13. Registration will continue until the trip roster is filled. All registrations must be done in person at the Department of Community Services office. The trip, which will take place on the weekend of Jan. 26-28, will accommodate 45 students.

Cross Country Skiing

Registrations for cross country skiing lessons at the Rolling Green Ski Touring Center are now being accepted at the DCS office. A series of three lessons can be taken on either Tuesdays or Thursday evenings beginning on Tuesday, Jan. 2. All registrations must be made at the Department of Community Services office on 36 Bartlet St. For additional information call the office.

Elementary and Junior High Ski Lessons

Parents wishing to sign their children up for ski lessons at the Bradford Hill Ski Area may do so on Monday through Friday between 8:30 a.m. and 4:40 p.m. at the office. Lessons are for children in grades 3-9 and begin on Monday, Jan. 8. No registrations will be accepted after the Dec. 22 deadline.

Christmas Vacation Ski Vacation

Once again special rates for ski lessons at the Merrimack Valley Ski Area will be available to Andover residents during the Christmas vacation week. Registration forms are currently available at all Andover public schools and the DCS office.

Girls' Basketball League

Girls interested in playing in the elementary school (grades 4-6) or junior high school basketball leagues should submit their rosters to the DCS office as soon as possible. Information on the league and roster blanks are available at the main offices of all elementary and junior high schools and at the Department's office on 36 Bartlet St. The last date for roster submission is Friday, Dec. 29.

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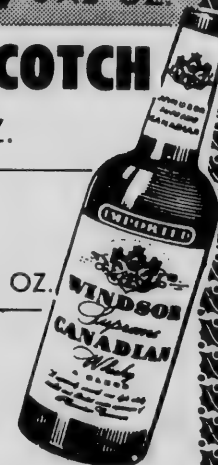
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Tis The Season To Be Wary

The Massachusetts Bankers Association today warned bank customers, elderly persons, and the general public to be especially careful about the types of swindles, schemes, con games and other crimes which increase dramatically during the holiday season.

Kenneth J. McIlraith, chairman of the Association, said "a number of these fraudulent activities are directed toward banks or bank customers, so we are very much aware of them. Others are brought to our attention by law enforcement agencies which work in close cooperation with the Association's Security and Loss Prevention Committee."

Mr. McIlraith, who is also President of Essexbank, Peabody, noted that while such crimes are committed throughout the year, they rise noticeably during the Christmas holidays for several reasons. "There is a heavier turnover of cash and greater use of credit cards, more people in stores and on the streets, a tendency toward carelessness by many shoppers, inexperienced temporary clerks, and a higher concentration of senior citizens in

public areas — all attractive elements to the con man or thief. Moreover, during the holiday season, normally law abiding people may be tempted to dishonestly improve their financial plight in order to provide the family with a good Christmas."

The following are the more common schemes and criminal acts to which the public should be alert prior to and during the holidays.

Charge Card Overcharge: Signing a charge card slip is like signing a blank check. An unscrupulous employee can write the exact amount of sale on the top slip (your copy) and set the imprinter to print a larger amount on the charge slip. Always compare handwritten and imprinted amounts before signing, and keep all charge slips for back checking when your monthly bill arrives.

Counterfeit Money: The holiday season brings an increased passing of counterfeit bills. While most people are not trained to spot expertly made bogus money, much of it is crude enough to be detected on sight. Store employees and customers should take a little extra time to examine bills exchanged in each transaction.

Shortchanging: Another type of confidence game played on unsuspecting retail clerks and bank tellers is that of shortchanging by fast talking quick change artists. They are masters at confusing people so that the clerk or teller can wind up giving \$30 in return for \$20. Be wary of the double talk and always take the "customer's" money, count it and put it out of reach before returning any money to him. He must have both your money and his own to make the scheme work.

The Pigeon Drop: This common swindle typically involves two con artists. One approaches and engages an unsuspecting victim in conversation, while the second rushes up and excitedly tells of having just found an envelope containing a large amount of money. After showing a note from the envelope indicating that the money was obtained illegally, one of the cons goes off to call an attorney friend for advice. He returns with the information that since the money was part of a criminal act, the attorney sees no reason the men shouldn't keep it. He suggests, however, that they wait a few days while he checks to see if the police are investigating. One con suggests that each of the three put up a sum of money as an act of good faith. The cons then take off with the money. There are variations to this scheme, but remember — never hand over money to strangers, and beware of situations promising a large amount of money at minimal risk!

Bank Examiner Scheme: Someone posing as a bank examiner (auditor or federal

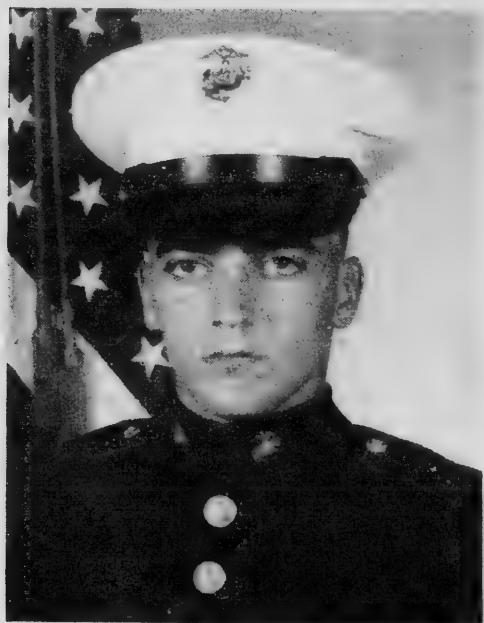
agent) telephones explaining that the bank suspects one of its employees has been stealing funds. The caller asks for your help by withdrawing your money from the bank so it can be marked and used in an "investigation". After the withdrawal is made, the phoney examiner comes to your home, identifies himself, picks up the money and warns that the investigation can only be successful if you keep quiet. He or she is never seen again. No bank official or law enforcement agent would make such a request, so don't be taken in if it happens to you!

You also should watch out for over-rings

on sales, purse and wallet snatchers, and car break-ins. Always keep your car locked, place gifts in the trunk, and only leave the ignition key with a parking lot attendant. Also, don't show a large wad of bills when paying for an item. Take out only the cash you will need for a particular purchase.

According to Mr. McIlraith, don't hesitate to act if you suspect a swindle or are the victim of one. Report fraud and misrepresentation to the local police, submit a complaint to the Better Business Bureau; and inform the District Attorney's office.

The Massachusetts Bankers Association is comprised of 131 member commercial banks, or 92 per cent of all commercial banks in the Commonwealth.



Kevin H. Mercier

Completes Training

Marine Private Kevin N. Mercier, son of Lorraine Mercier of 66 Fernview Ave., North Andover, has completed recruit training at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego.

During the nine-week training cycle, he learned the basics of battlefield survival. He was introduced to the typical daily routine that he will experience during his enlistment and studied the personal and professional standards traditionally exhibited by Marines.

He participated in an active physical conditioning program and gained proficiency in a variety of military skills, including first aid, rifle marksmanship and close order drill. Teamwork and self-discipline were emphasized throughout the training cycle.

A 1978 graduate of North Andover High School, he joined the Marine Corps in July 1978.

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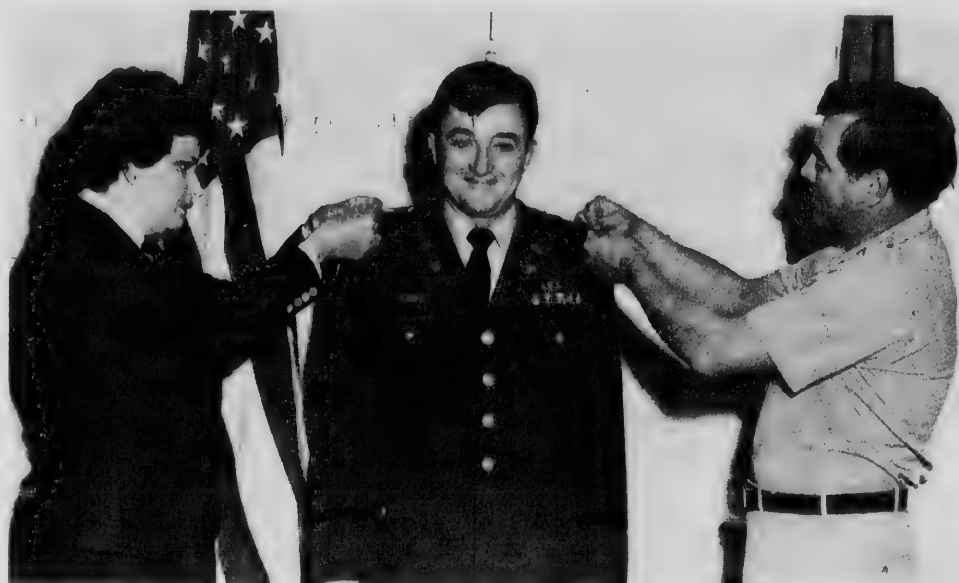
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Receives Promotion

A proud moment for Major Peter W. Lichtenberger during a recent ceremony at the Army Materials and Mechanics Research Center (AMMRC) in Watertown, as his wife, Susan and Colonel W.R. Benoit, Commander/Deputy Director, AMMRC, pin on the insignia symbolic of his promotion from the rank of Captain.

Promoted To Major

Major Peter W. Lichtenberger, Chief of the Administrative Office and the Equipment Management Office at the Army Materials and Mechanics Research Center (AMMRC) in Watertown, recently received the insignia symbolic of his promotion from Captain.

Major Lichtenberger, a 1962 graduate of Andover High School, is the son of the late William H. and Mary G. Lichtenberger, formerly of Spring Grove Road.

Following graduation from Georgetown University in 1966, he entered the Army as a Private E-1. He was promoted to Sgt E-5 Infantry; and graduated from Quartermaster Officer Candidate School in 1967. During 1968-69 he served with the 82nd and 101st Airborne Divisions in Vietnam, where he commanded a company and detachment, and served as a Battalion Staff Officer. He spent three years as

Aide-de-Camp to the Major General in charge of the Armament Command, Rock Island, Illinois.

He was assigned to Babson College, Wellesley, in 1975 to earn his MBA degree; and began service at AMMRC in 1977 in his present position, which also includes the function of R&D Coordinator for Installation Support.

His decorations include the Bronze Star Medal, Meritorious Service Medal, three awards of the Army Commendation Medal, and two foreign awards.

Major Lichtenberger and his wife, Susan, live on post at the center. AMMRC is responsible for Army research and development of new and improved metals, ceramics, organics and composites; and for the mechanics research necessary to utilize these materials in Army equipment.

Merger Approved

Leslie N. Nutchinson, chairman of the board of Bay State National Bank and chief executive officer of Massachusetts Bay Bancorp, Inc. and Leonard Williams, Executive Vice President of Citizens Bank and Trust Company of Peabody, Peabody, announced that the comptroller of the currency has approved the application of Bay State National Bank to merge Citizens Bank and Trust Company of Peabody, Peabody, into Bay State National Bank, Lawrence, under the charter and title of Bay State National Bank. The merger is scheduled to take place in January of 1979.

Bay State National Bank is one of two banking subsidiaries of Massachusetts Bay Bancorp, Inc., Lawrence, a registered bank holding company that on September 30, 1978 had total resources of approximately \$182,900,000. Bay State National Bank with total resources of \$115,000,000, operates ten banking offices in Lawrence, Andover, North Andover, Methuen, Haverhill and Ipswich. Cape Ann Bank and Trust Company, the other banking subsidiary with total resources of \$63,500,000, has five banking offices in Gloucester, Manchester and Rockport.

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Sullivan, Renate Schott, Jan Theriault and Gail Burke of the Andover Four Seasons Garden Club.

Concert Schedule

A highlight among upcoming concerts at New England Conservatory will be the Percussion Ensemble performance at 8 p.m., Monday, Dec. 18 in Jordan Hall. Frank Epstein will conduct the Boston premiere of "Alvera Street, L.A." by Earl Hatch; Michael Udow's "Afarikan Welcome;" "Forest Rain," by Niel DePonte; "Toccata," by Carlos Chavez; and "Sextet for Percussion," by Zita Carno.

Also scheduled for this week is a performance by the Massachusetts Youth Wind Ensemble at 3 p.m., Saturday, Dec. 16, in Jordan Hall. Peter Cokkinias will conduct works of Berlioz, Grainger, Bach, Milhaud, and Holst.

The NEC Youth Chamber Orchestra concert will be held at 3 p.m., Sunday, Dec. 17, in Jordan

Hall under the direction of Benjamin Zander. Works will include Pergolesi-Stravinsky, Suite De Pulcinella; Mozart, Symphony in C, "Jupiter;" and Purcell, Chacony in G. Minor for Strings.

An opera performance by the NEC Graduate Opera Seminar is schedul-

ed for Sunday, Dec. 17, at 5:30 p.m. in Williams Hall. Presentations will include aria and ensembles from operas of Purcell, Monteverdi, Gluck, Lully, Handel, Janacek, Debussy and Mozart.

All performances are free and open to the public.

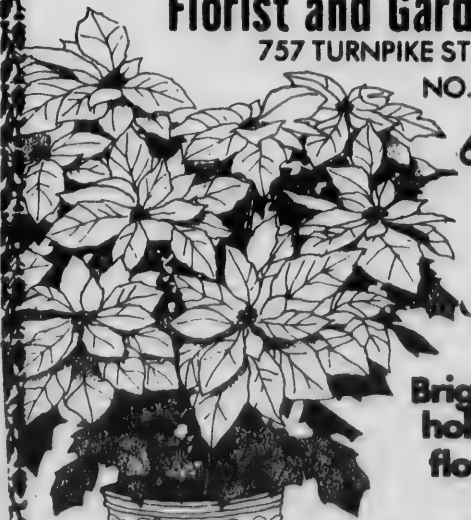
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Officer In Charge Michael J. Curran of the Andover Post Office is reminding customers that for the best service this Christmas season they should use ZIP Codes, place their return address in the upper left corner of the envelope and use proper postage.

"By following these suggestions," Officer In Charge Curran says, "customers will be assured good mail service this holiday season."

It is important, The Andover Officer In Charge says, that families "double check" envelopes and cards to be certain that proper postage is affixed. Envelopes without postage will be returned to senders, if possible, or delayed by postage-due procedures.

When the return address is placed on envelopes bearing holiday greetings, it also helps remind friends of one's current address.

And, if the family to whom a holiday message is sent moved more than a year ago, it cannot be forwarded. With a return address, Curran says, such letters are returned to the sender with a notation that the forwarding "order" has expired.

Honored By IRS

Five residents of Andover and No. Andover were honored at the Career Service Awards ceremony held in the Internal Revenue Service Center.

Anne Gorton and Carmella Tine received awards for 20 years of service from Director M. Eddie Heironimus.

Awards for 15 years of service were given William Carnevale and Rose M. Diodati of Andover and Rita T. LaFay of North Andover.

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Town Meeting

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high may be more expensive than building an entirely new structure.

He said the wording of the April article limited the work of the committee to examining only renovation. The amendment proposed Monday night would allow the building group to explore the costs of a new structure and would allow the committee and administrators to work toward a decision which would be in the town's best economic interests.

Frank Drozdick, 330 South Main St., asked for documentation to show that a new building would cost less than renovation, to which McIntyre responded that the purpose of the article was to work toward that. There are no firm figures at present on the cost comparison, McIntyre said, just estimates. Allowing the architects to proceed with planning, would produce the comparative cost factors.

Karl Haartz of High Plain Road reminded the meeting that if a new building were to be approved at next year's town meeting, the town would still be faced with what to do with the present East Junior High, which could be subject to considerable renovation for municipal use, or just maintenance.

When the question was raised as to whether the annual town meeting next year would be presented with options — new vs. renovations — Town Manager Jared S. A. Clark said it was the intent of

the administration to present the total parcel in phases for voter consideration.

In addition to the East Junior high problem, the town also addressed the matter of a new auditorium-classroom building at the high school and renovations at both West Junior and the High School within the planning funds awarded at this year's town meeting.

Mrs. Beverly Darling, a realtor and building committee member advised the voters that the committee needed the latitude to plan properly. The result, she said would be a better school facility and a better town, noting that the present East Junior high does not meet modern educational needs.

The article was approved 486-111.

On the Raytheon issue, following a presentation by the town on the need to provide the new sewer line to permit the \$10-\$15 million expansion, comments focused principally on traffic and safety in the area of the plant.

George Kachen, 26 Bellevue Road, noting the town and Raytheon working to solve problems in the area, asked that both continue to be aware of such matters as mothers attempting to get their children to appointments and activities in mid-afternoon hours, and residents of Lowell street trying to get out of their driveways at peak traffic hours.

Kachen also asked about potential water supply problems, as well as the "West Andover syndrome" problem.

The 'syndrome' he said was the old

matter of "out of sight, out of mind," with regard to what represents "30 per cent of the land in Andover," referring to the West section of town.

Kachen asked that the town constantly be aware and recognize the problems of residents in that area as industry continues to locate there.

Meg Holmes, 40 Osgood St., pointed to traffic problems in that area and safety requirements for two children who must take school buses.

Everett E. Gendler, of Haggetts Pond Road commented briefly about his concerns for armaments and dependence on defense spending for industrial growth.

Town Manager Jared S. A. Clark summed up the discussion of the problems by stating that continued attention would be given to traffic problems. He noted that Raytheon is attempting to solve the major problem of new traffic to the area after expansion by starting the shift at 6 a.m. Officer would be posted at Dascomb Road and 93 to facilitate movement of traffic there, and reduce speeding problems.

As for water, the treatment plant can

supply 12 million gallons per day, and has only had a nine-million peak in recent years, thus presenting no problem.

Selectman James Abramson had explained earlier in the session that the town had a responsibility to supply the new sewer line, since the one installed ten years ago when Raytheon built there, did not meet the capacity requirements as guaranteed by the town.

Underscoring the proposal to spend the \$150,000 from the administration view point was the fact that the town would be receiving in the vicinity of \$400,000 in new taxes from Raytheon — the town's top taxpayer.

The matter was approved by an overwhelming show of hands.

Colonial Christmas

Puritan New Englanders outlawed Christmas festivities when they came to the New World, but the Dutch colonists of New Amsterdam continued their old World celebrations, as did the Southern planters, who observed Christmas with feasting, singing and dancing.

Holiday

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Chill well. Serve in punch bowl or punch cups and sprinkle with nutmeg.

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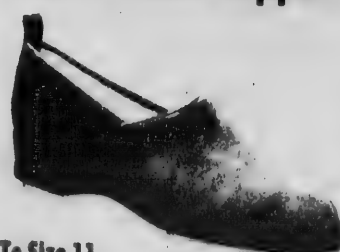
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EJH News

By Jennie Caffrey

The East Junior High School In-House Floor Hockey League recently completed the first half with 160 students and 15 teams involved. The leading seventh grade teams were the Flyers of Room 204A in first place, the Rangers of Room 205 in second place, and the Blues of Room 206 in third. The eighth grade leading teams were first place the Kings of Room 609, and the second place Sabres of Room 507. This concludes the first half. If possible, the league will resume its second half in the early spring.

On Dec. 4 through 6, tryouts for winter cheerleading were held. Ms. Brown, the cheerleading coach announced those chosen as follows: ninth graders — Alison Sawyer, Karen Tomlinson, Kathy Edwards, Alane Sullivan, Sue Driscoll, Sue Loranger, Emily Gerson, Pam Finn, and Maryanne Salisbury.

Joanne Fossella is captain. Alternates are: Sue George, Sue Erikson, and Shelley Ippolito.

Eighth grade cheerleaders are: Laura Grams, captain is Nancy Morrison, Shari Coon, Julie Flaherty, Ellen Flett, Ellen Stier, Kati Darwin, Laura DiMeo, Amy Price, and Judy Flynn. Alternates are: Jennifer Himber, Marilyn Ingram, and Carol Avalos.

Rehearsals for the school's annual musical production are underway. The play is a comedy called "All American." Some performers are: Howard Miller, Lee Parpart, Kara Gemmell, Tom Witt, Joanne Eaton, Norman Berner, Joe Manning, Donna Jenkins, and Beth Ann Grecoe.

On Dec. 7, the eighth grade attended a career conference. A panel discussion first was followed by individual group discussions. Guest speakers were Rose Lewis, a photo-journalist, Ann Kimbal and Ellen Katz, the publisher and marketing executive for SAIL magazine; Frank Sharkey, a sportswriter; Mary Fitzgerald, a new writer for the Lawrence Eagle Tribune; William Wayland and Richard Fromme, general sales managers for radio stations; Barbara Cann, actress for the Garrett Players of Lawrence, Philip Pelletier, who handles newspaper advertising; Harry Durso, T.V. scripwriter, Jim Bright, book writer, and Joe Clementi, a radio announcer. Ms. Harms, the career education teacher, said the objective of this conference was to "demonstrate the marketability of English skills and increase career awareness."

Giving Gifts

The Christian practice of giving presents to friends and relatives at Christmas follows the example of the Magi, "three wise men from the East," who traveled to Bethlehem to present gold, frankincense and myrrh to the Christ child 12 days after his birth.

Brazil

Brazil is one of the few countries planning for the post-petroleum era, Massachusetts Audubon says. Ethyl alcohol will be made from sugar cane; 500,000 hectares (hectare equals 2.47 acres) are made being planted; 70 distilleries will be built.

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A Family Affair

Monday was "Family Night" at downtown Andover stores, and shoppers were greeted with refreshments and a festive air. Above: Margaret and Richard McAnern, with Greg and Jennifer, do business with Karen Deschenes at Scanlon's Hardware while below, Mrs. Arthur Awley models a dress for her husband and Charlotte Martellini at Yankee Lady.

Opposite Page, clockwise beginning at top: Dave Pinkney and Lori at the Sport Shop; Meredith Maren being served by Vena Coco at Pappagallo's; John Zenevitch helping Mitch Smith at McCartney's; and Loretta O'Malley at Russem's.





Karl Gives Beacon Hill Annual Legislative Packet

Karl Haartz, known to local residents for his commentary on the floor of town meeting and in letters to the editor, by no means confines his political interests to the local level.

Haartz regularly writes prospective legislation to the state, and has submitted a group of 10 bills, eight resolutions and one Constitutional amendment, to State Rep. Gerald Cohen for consideration by the 1979 session of the General Court.

The proposals cover a variety of subjects "to improve day-to-day lawmaking and government administration," and to seek "more ethical caliber and less cost."

They run the gamut from increasing the drinking age to 21 and to increasing fines in accordance with one's educational background, to rewarding car owners for not using the rapid rail transit, and limiting land and property ownership by individuals and foreign countries.

He has also addressed himself to nine "specific oversights no evident in the structure of the Federal Constitution," such as: "No President or past President may be pardoned for any act performed while holding that Office."

The 10 proposed acts would do the following:

- Provide more parking and greater courtesy to auto owners and taxpayers doing business at the 100 Nashua St. (Boston) office of the Motor Vehicle Registry.
- Increase the equity with which town water is sold, by installing a common device to measure the flow of water at various rates.
- Establish a basic formula to determine the salary of judges of the state judiciary branch, that is, one and a half times the average of the salary of the Governor and the basic salary of a member of the General Court.
- Increase the age for purchase of intoxicants to 21.
- Increase fines for wrong-doing by persons who have been educated in whole or in part with public funds. For instance, fines for a person who has attended a grammar school would be doubled; for a person who has attended high school, increased by four; college, eight; and for a degree higher than an advanced degree, 12 times.
- Increase fines for wrong-doing by six times, unless committed during a term of elective office. Then the fine would be multiplied by 10.
- Fine state employees who participate in an illegal work stoppage, or any form of concerted abuse of a fringe benefit, \$109 for each day of participation.
- "Induce inculcation of education efficiently," by requiring each student, in order to receive a high school diploma, to submit "a true and correct copy of The Federalist Essays by Hamilton, Jay and Madison, done in the pupil's own legible handwriting and containing margin summaries of each paragraph in the pupil's own words. Haartz says this would demonstrate that the pupil has developed the ability to follow instructions, exercise

the discipline necessary to complete a task of consequence, work neatly, write legibly, spell correctly, recall words in proper sequence and summarize thoughts.

• Protect both Houses "from arbitrary acts of their leaders," by enabling any 60 members of the House or 21 members of the Senate to bring any bill to the floor for discussion and voting.

• Declare null and void the concept "fiscal autonomy" for any part of or the whole state, because it is "contrary to the means by which a government of laws can be achieved."

Resolutions

• To encourage the independent candidate for office, in order to unchain politicians from the demands of privilege-seekers, particularly party workers.

• To urge that every expenditure of money, authorized in accordance with the U.S. Constitution, be divided into sums of not more than \$1 billion, and that those projects be audited annually.

• To remind the Federal Government that it is prohibited from using its express and implied powers to compensate particular citizens and groups, including federal employees, for the effects of inflation, unless equal compensation is provided to all other citizens.

• To recognize that "publicly subsidized rail rapid transit is the most costly and wasteful form of transit known," and giving a sum equal to 50 percent of all rail subsidies in Massachusetts, yearly to owners of pleasure automobiles, in recognition of the taxes they pay. (Haartz cites state and federal taxes on gasoline and oil, federal taxes on tires, state taxes on the sale of cars, and various costs of repairs, local excise taxes.)

• To ensure against "dilution of The National Sovereignty," by urging the U.S. Congress to establish that "no more than two percent of the real property, including land, of the United States or any one state or political subdivision, may be owned, leased, or otherwise controlled by any citizen, or any entity of any nation."

• To define inflation as having characteristics of a tape worm in the human body, and urge that the economic

tape worm not only be stopped, but that the exterminated remains must be removed from the national economic system to prevent them from clogging other parts of the economic system."

• To ask the General Court to urge Congress to remove ingrown abuses of

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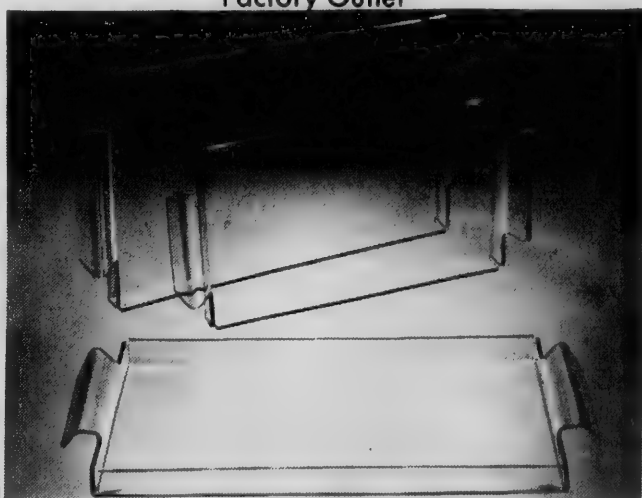
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DECEMBER 14, 1978

Bank In Industry Area Questioned

Concern over the moving of an historic house to be used as a bank in the West Andover Industrial area, has been expressed by Selectman Susan T. Poore.

Mrs. Poore brought the matter to the attention of her colleagues recently, asking if this is the type of activity the town had planned to be located in the industrial area.

The zoning board of appeals recently granted a permit to 93 Realty Trust to move the former Shattuck Farm house up the street to within the confines of the industrially-zoned land. Purpose of the move was to convert the historic dwelling to offices and bank.

Residents of the area have subsequently appealed the decision to the Superior Court.

Mrs. Poore, in commenting on the matter, said that the board had battled to prevent the move of the Post Office from

the Central Business District, based on the feeling that the facility was good for the business district.

She felt that in the same manner, the invasion of commercial type property into the industrial area, is against the town's desires for development of that area.

Mrs. Poore added that such activity could be the precedent for allowing additional activity such as fast-food chains to develop within an area set aside for primarily industrial development.

Town Manager Jared S.A. Clark said he would have Rhys Kear, community development director and Assistant Manager Sheldon S. Cohen, look into the zoning laws to see if anything can be done to control the development of industrial areas and also to determine if the town has any options with regard to the specific case.

Interviews by an independent board are scheduled for Monday for appointment of an administrative assistant in the police department.

The position, which will be temporary, is aimed at providing a smooth transition between for a new chief of the department after Police Chief David L. Nicoll retires, sometime next year.

Town Manager Jared S.A. Clark has named Police Chief Joseph Connell of Westford, Town Manager Robert Curtis of Danvers and Andover Fire Chief William T. Downs to the special panel to conduct the interviews.

The town manager said that the candidates will also be interviewed by an industrial psychologist, a practice he has used prior to appointing persons to key positions in the community.

The administrative assistant position will exist for about a year and will have a salary grade of \$26,000 annually.

Clark explains that the assistant will develop a new record keeping system to provide a criminal activity analysis. This will allow the department to more effectively assign patrols and increase the ability of the department to detect and apprehend without significant increase in expenditures.

The assistant will also work on redefining of the administrative structure of the police department. Where the department is now mostly oriented toward patrols, the manager is interested in fixing more responsibility on administrators in the department for analysis of the type of criminal activity and develop strategies to meet the specific problems.

The third area of responsibility will be handling personnel recruitment and training and become familiar with the role of police chief.

The new position was originally intended to be classified as captain, and was recommended by consultants who studied

the police department a year ago.

But civil service regulations prohibit the naming of a captain, without examination and following civil service regulations.

Therefore the position was placed in the administrative assistant category and approved for creation through action of the October town meeting.

Clark noted that Police Chief Nicoll provided well for the members of the department to familiarize and improve their police science capacities.

Educational opportunities have been provided by the chief during his tenure and many department members have taken advantage of the opportunity.

The manager said that with this in mind, he is optimistic that the eventual appointment of a new chief will come from within the department.

Appointment of an administrative assistant does not necessarily guarantee the incumbent the chief's position.

A civil service promotional examination is scheduled for February. Lieutenants and sergeants in the department will be eligible to take the exam.

Clark said this week that it is his intention to promote from within the department, unless conditions otherwise warrant.

Carmel Road Man Is Fatality

A Carmel Road resident, president of a Lawrence Typewriter Company, was killed late Monday when struck by a van while crossing North Main Street.

Fred Symons, 64, 10 Carmel Road, was struck about 5:30 p.m. while crossing North Main Street, near Stevens Street.

The Bankers Dispatch Delivery van was operated by James F. Rochards, 23, 70 Everett St., Arlington, who was uninjured in the accident. The driver was headed toward the center of town from Lawrence.

Symons was taken to Lawrence General hospital in the Andover Fire department ambulance where he was pronounced dead on arrival. Medical Examiner Dr. George Desmet said death was due to a fractured skull and internal injuries.

Patrolmen Calvin Metcalf and Frank Froburg were joined by Registry of Motor Vehicles Inspector Al Ewing in the investigation.

Symons was born in Lawrence April 11, 1914, but was a life-long resident of Andover. He was president of the T. E. Field Typewriter Co. in Lawrence, where he had worked for over 20 years.

Symons attended the Unitarian Universalist Church in Andover, served on its membership committee and was active in the building of the church 12 years ago.

Survivors include his wife, Shirley (Gardner) Symons, of Andover; two daughters, Cynthia Ann (Symons) Ward, and Jane E. (DeCesare) Miller, both of Andover; a sister, Mrs. Ada Lipsett, of Erie, Pa., and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 2 p.m. from the Unitarian Universalist Church, 144 Lowell St., Andover.

Calling hours will be Thursday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. at the Charles F. Dewhurst Funeral Home, 80 Broadway, Methuen.

Memorial contributions may be sent the Unitarian Universalist Church.



Discussing Expansion Moderator James D. Doherty, right, discusses town meeting action with Joseph Glasser, vice president of Raytheon and Andover plant manager, left, and Robert Radula, Raytheon engineer, following Monday night's special town meeting. A sewer line extension was approved by voters for expansion of the West Andover Raytheon plant.

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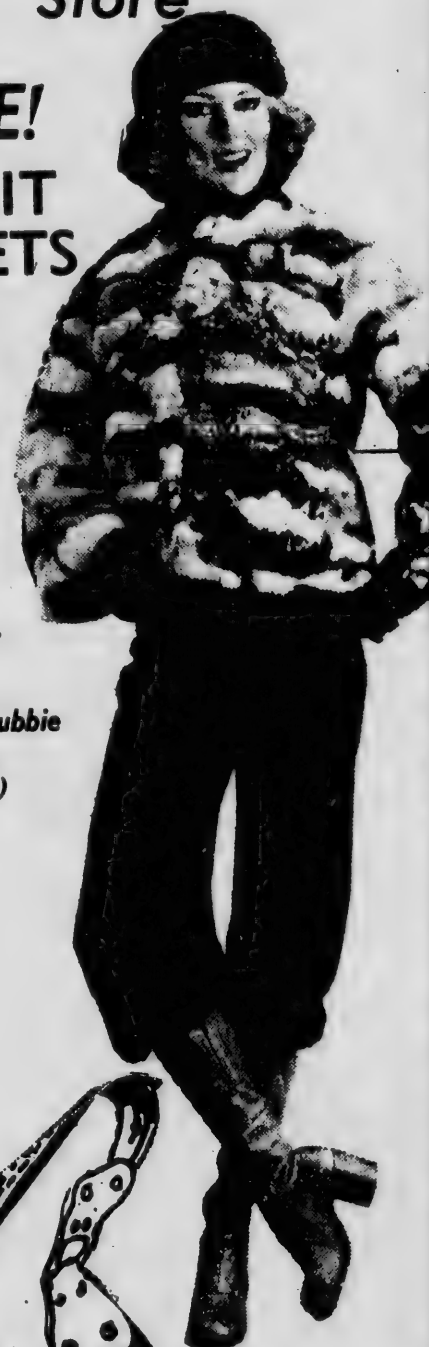
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Commendable Turnout

Since we often are critical of town meeting attendance, it seems appropriate that we issue commendation where warranted.

The turnout of voters at the special town meeting Tuesday night was commendable, indeed. A total of 660 voters registered for the two-article special session and acted with dispatch in transacting the business on the agenda.

As noted previously, this is a busy season for everyone. There are innumerable diversions during the holiday season. Therefore, it is noteworthy that a number of voters took the time to insure that the town's business be carried on in the two important items before the house.

In addition to the turnout, there was another attribute present Monday night. The audience came prepared to vote and get the business over with as quickly as possible.

Maybe the season had something to do with it, but

even those who had rightful concerns about the proposals, whether it was the school issue, or the Raytheon sewer line extension, there was little in the way of serious objection.

Those with questions got their answers.

Those with concerns about traffic in the vicinity of the Raytheon operation, expressed the feeling that with proper and continued co-operation and attention to problems in the area, the manufacturing facility and the neighbors could live harmoniously.

And, within an hour, it was all over.

The majority agreed to let the school building committee go forward with finding out if a new building will be more economical than renovation of the old East Junior High, and by a hand vote overwhelmingly said yes to spending \$150,000 for a sewer line for Raytheon.

It was the type of meeting that tends to restore faith in the town meeting system, and those who took the time to attend are to be commended for their effort.

Down The Years With The Townsman

75 Years Ago — December, 1903

Charles W. Richardson has entered the cheese, chicken and egg business.

A valuable horse owned by M.T. Stevens and Company and used at Marland's Mill, died Tuesday afternoon of colic.

The Andover roller polo team will play the Merrimacks at North Andover in the City hall next Monday night at 7:30 o'clock. Intense rivalry exists between these two teams and fast playing is anticipated.

Word was received in town this week of the death of David Warden, formerly of this town, who died in the Klondike of consumption. He was brother of the late William Warden.

50 Years Ago — December, 1928

Fernando Germani performed an organ recital in the George Washington Auditorium last Friday night. When asked his age, the modest and affable performer replied: "I am getting quite old — '22', next April."

Two plays, "Martha's Mourning" by Phoebe Hoffman and "Jazz Minuet" by Ruth Giorloff, were presented by the Abbot Dramatic Club in Davis Hall Tuesday evening.

At 2 a.m. Tuesday, Box 31 was sounded and the apparatus from the central fire station was called to extinguish a fire at the Elite Service Station. Damage was estimated at \$50.

25 Years Ago — December, 1953

A request to extend for one hour beyond midnight the time for dancing when special parties engage the Crystal Ballroom was received by selectmen and turned down at Monday night's meeting of the board.

Visions of venison steak are floating before the eyes of local firemen now that so many Nimrods in the department are engaged in hunting expeditions in different parts of the state.

New scales for the public use will soon be installed in the rear of the Town house. Selectmen have just received from the fin-

nance committee approval for the transfer of \$1800 to cover the cost. This will replace the present public scales which are 28 years old.

10 Years Ago — December, 1968

The seal of the Phillips Academy, made by Paul Revere, was among the items stolen in a break at the Addison Art Gallery, Phillips Academy, Saturday morning. The thieves took about 50 items from the museum, their value totalling \$250,000.

The Merrimack Valley chapter of the Massachusetts Mother of Twins Association will meet Tuesday at 8 p.m.

The head of the reading program in the elementary schools asked the school committee for a larger staff of remedial reading teachers for the 400 Andover school children who need their help.

Ralph Sharpe, the popular police maintenance man, suffered a broken leg Saturday when he slipped from a fire truck while portraying Santa Claus for the annual Christmas parade.



Memorial Hall Library

Nobel Prizewinners

Each year on December 10, the anniversary of Alfred Nobel's death, prizes for excellence in physics, chemistry, medicine, literature and peace are awarded in Sweden. The winner of the peace prize is chosen for distinguished work in promoting peace and international brotherhood. The main book display in Memorial Hall Library during December features the works of recent outstanding winners in literature and peace, including this year's winners, I. J. Singer, Menachin Begin and Anwar Sadat.

Decorations Everywhere
The library is festively decorated

throughout due to the efforts of the Four Seasons Garden Club in the main reading room and the Spade and Trowel Garden Club in the Children's Room. Handmade Christmas ornaments by members of the Andover Artists Guild are now on display in the exhibit case. In addition, art work by students of East Junior High School are on display throughout the Library.

Children's Room News
by Bridget Bennett

Our final presentation of Films-on-Fridays for this season will take place this Friday, December 15, and will include

three Christmas favorites, "Pluto's Christmas," "Night Before Christmas" and "The Story of Christmas." Show times will be at 10 a.m. and again at 2 p.m. All preschoolers accompanied by an adult are welcome.

A huge Christmas candle was burned in medieval Europe to celebrate festivities each night until Twelfth Night.

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WEDNESDAY — **CHRISTMAS DINNER** — Chilled cider, roast Vermont turkey with giblet gravy, mashed potatoes, green peas, cranberry sauce, homemade baking powder biscuit, ice cream sundae, milk.

THURSDAY — Chilled juice, sliced cheese pizza with extra cheese, tossed chef's salad, white cake w/frosting, milk.

FRIDAY — Chilled juice, tuna salad roll, french fries, catsup, dessert, milk.

Senior Citizens

MONDAY — Chilled juice, beef stew w/garden vegetables, whipped potatoes, rolls and butter, fruit cup, choice of beverage.

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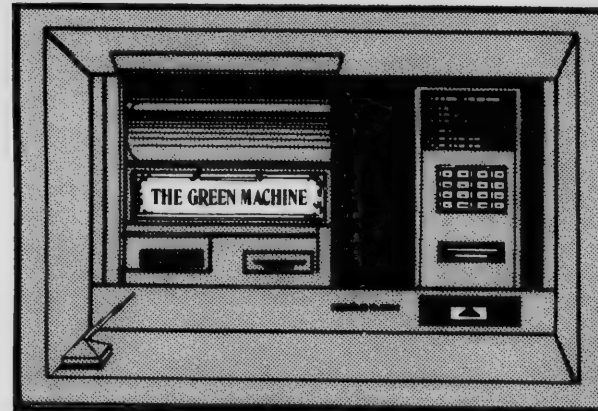
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Belt-Tightening Needed By Government and People

WASHINGTON - President Carter has asked the American people to help him curb inflation. He wants them to tighten their belts and reduce their living standards.

But it's the government that needs to be curbed. The government at all levels consumes 40 percent of the Gross National Product - an astounding 400 percent increase in the past 40 years.

This has become the main cause of inflation. The bureaucrats feed off the economy without contributing to the nation's productivity. In fact, they interfere with the productivity. They spend most of their time regulating the rest of us.

Last year, the federal bureaucrats sent out 114 million forms to businesses. There were 15,000 different types of forms. This meant that businessmen had to spend a great part of their effort filling out forms instead of producing goods.

The president has promised to cut bureaucratic spending, but he is outgunned by his troops. The bureaucrats have a million telephones connected to hundreds of pressure groups. They are skilled at stirring up opposition to economy measures.

Meanwhile, the bureaucracy has grown beyond control or comprehension. In the past 15 years, 240 major agencies have been added to the federal government. Each agency is clogged with bureaus, divi-

sions, sections and committees. They operate like wheels within wheels.

Periodically, there is a new public demand that the bureaucracy listen to the "voice of the people." The bureaucrats respond typically by enlarging the bureaucracy. They have established more than 1,300 advisory committees, employing more than 22,500 people.

At the Commerce Department, there is an advisory committee on drugs, soaps, cleaners and toilet preparations. The Agriculture Department has advisory committees on hop marketing and hog cholera.

The Treasury Department has an advisory committee on distilled spirits plant supervision. At the Health, Education and Welfare Department, there is a lipid metabolism advisory committee. And the State Department has an advisory committee to the U.S. section of the Inter-American Tropical Tuna Commission.

The last we heard, President Carter was not scrapping these advisory committees. He was creating new ones. His latest: An advisory group on earthquake hazards reduction.

Watch on Waste: Last month, we invited the public to help us keep a watch on government waste. We have received hundreds of letters from people who are tired of the way the government squanders their tax money.

Most of the examples

have come from the armed forces. We found out, for instance, about an arm rest that is used in an anti-submarine aircraft. Although it is made of cheap plastic, the Lockheed corporation charged the Navy \$644.44 for it.

Navy officials explained it was expensive because it had to be ordered individually. Still, it isn't worth more than a few dollars. The officials promised they would try harder to keep the cost down in the future.

This is what happens when there is no competition. Lockheed is the sole source contractor for this particular plane and can, therefore, charge whatever it pleases for the parts. This \$644.44 item can be multiplied by millions because some 80 percent of all military contracts are awarded without competitive bids.

The military brass are also cavalier about small expenses. Gen. William Lyon, for example, commands the Air Force Reserve. He recently decreed that pictures of the top brass would be distributed to all the Air Force Reserve units so the men would know who's in charge.

But Gen. Lyon decided he didn't like his own picture. So he had another one retouched and sent out a new, "younger" version of himself. The cost of the project was about \$1,000 - peanuts by Air Force standards.

Gen. Lyon's subordi-

call him the "boy general."

Headlines and Footnotes: Born-again pornographer Larry Flynt has found a willing customer for his wares - the U.S. government. Records reveal that the Library of Congress has a complete collection of Flynt's Hustler magazines, beginning with the very first edition. Flynt pays the government a copyright fee, but the Library foots the bill for cataloging and storing the magazines. They are kept in the periodicals room of the library - under lock and key.

- The Pentagon wants to make bounty hunting more profitable. Next month, the brass hats will ask Congress to double the fee paid to civilian law enforcement officials who apprehend military deserters. If the proposal is passed into law, the Pentagon will pay local police \$25 for every deserter jailed and \$50 for each deserter turned over to the military authorities.

- Congressional staffers are constantly besieged by lobbyists and constituents who want information, assistance or support on certain issues. Now, the overworked bureaucrats can find help. The Congressional Clearinghouse on the Future is offering congressional staffers lessons in "assertiveness training" to help them deal with visitors who demand their time and attention.

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by Lou Durazzano

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Fire Log

The following is a report of the activities of the Andover Fire Department for the period commencing Dec. 5 and ending Dec. 11, 1978.

Dec. 5 - Andover Rec. Park, Town of Andover, bonfire.

Dec. 6 - Shawsheen

Plaza, Elm Farm Corp., light ballast fire; West Elementary School, Town of Andover, false alarm;

off Sunset Rock Road., Pike School Trustees, investigation; Andover High School, Town of Andover, false alarm; 14 Bradlee Circle, Robert Brammer, boiler malfunction; 16 Birch Road, Dorothy Christopher, car fire.

Dec. 7 - Rte. 93 and River Road, Comm. of Mass., car fire; Lowell Jct. Road., G.S.F. Corp., investigation; 33 Hidden Road, Robert Stier, electric heater fire.

Dec. 8 - Rte. 93 and

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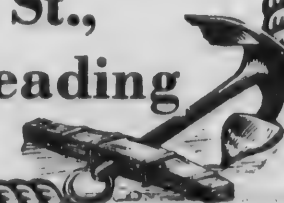
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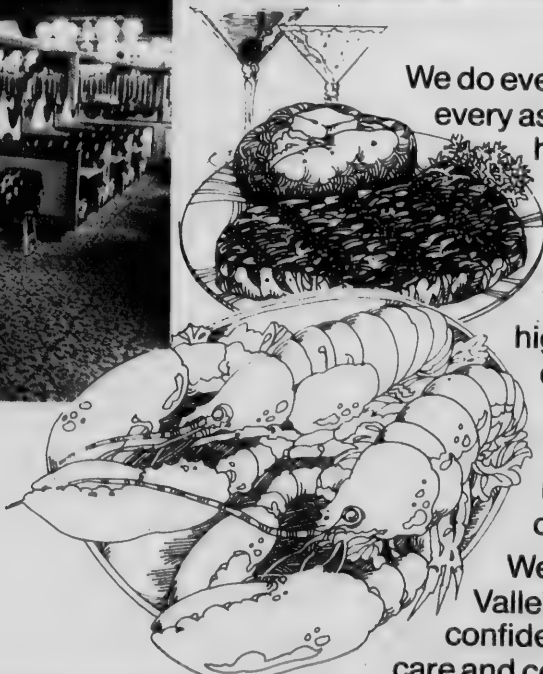
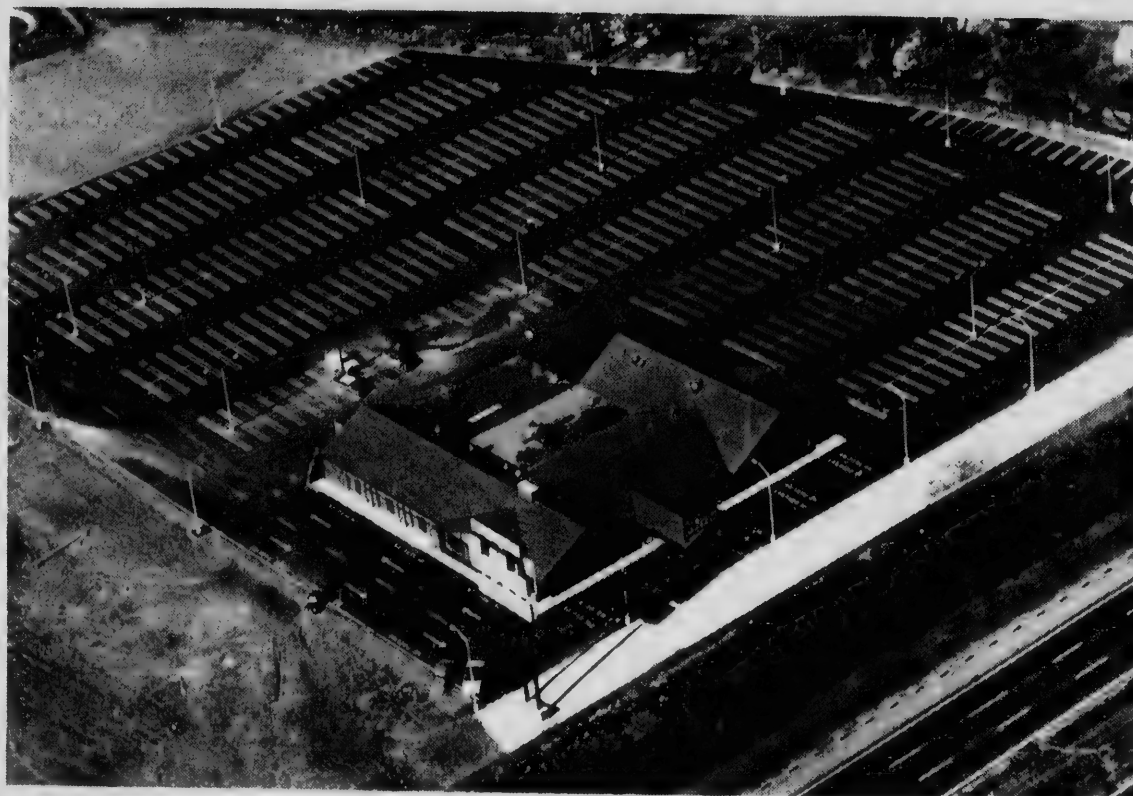
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The Littlest Angels

Many four and five-year-olds of all denominations spent last week at Christmas School, held at the Faith Lutheran Church. Clockwise, beginning above: Maria Sanchez and Karen DiDonato sharing secret; Mandy Gulezian in prayer; Brian Novalline placing a star; and Cheryl Rittershaus, involved in her artwork.



Andover High Notebook

By Renee Pruneau

The Andover High Drama Club has been busy for the past month practicing and performing their Christmas play. The play was written by Drama Coach Robert King. It was entitled, "Beth's First Christmas" and was the story of a cripple girl and how the birth of Jesus, whom she held, changed her life and helped her to walk.

It also publicized "warm fuzzies" Warm fuzzies are "talents, strenths, virtues, love, anything that works best when it is given away." They come in the form of balls made of yarn. At the end of each performance the cast passed these warm fuzzies out to the audience. The play was performed at the Brook St. Y, which has something going on for teenagers every Friday night, for the Shawsheen Women's Auxiliary, and at the Haven.

After Christmas vacation tryouts for the spring musical will begin. This is an old A.H.S. tradition that had been forgotten for the past few years, but it is again being started. This year the production will be "The Boyfriend." Drama club officers for this year are: president, Jill Normandy; vice president, Pat Canavan; treasurer, Patty O'Connor; secretary, Janet Leonard, business manager, Dave Shrestinian; Director of Special Programs, Linda Syiek.

Andover High's Math club did an excellent job in its November meet. It was held in Billerica. Andover came in second out of eight teams, being surpassed by unbeatable Chelmsford. Bob Lenk, senior, obtained a perfect score of eighteen. Other Andover scores included, Rich Maloof, 14, Mike McDolnald, 12, Ben Bram, 12, Nicole Romito, 10 and Doug Dube 10. The December meet is being held at Andover on the 14th.

On Christmas Eve, before the "Nocha Buena" Mass, children in Spain dress in peasant costumes and dance around a naativity scene to the music of tambourines.

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Christmas Gathering

The Four Seasons Garden club held its annual Christmas Gathering Sunday with members and guests enjoying punch, hors d'oeuvres and holiday conversation. Top photo, Jan Theriault, left, co-hostess, serves Doris Oldaker. Bottom photo, Mary Beth Sullivan and Renate Schott check the offerings at the hors d'oeuvres table.



Brush Piles

Birds and mammals find protection in a brush pile; it should be at least three or four feet high, 12 feet square and with heavy wood on top to prevent it from blowing apart, Massachusetts Audubon advises.

Turkey

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State Aids Transit

Transportation Assistant Sam Arcidy said this week that the town should stand to be reimbursed for much of the cost of special needs transportation that was approved last week.

At last week's meeting, the school committee okayed transportation for three special needs youngsters, one to a school in Sudbury and two wheelchair pupils to West Jr. High and West Elementary, at a total cost of some \$7,032 for the remainder of the year.

The state has historically repaid the town 100 percent of special transportation costs, and somewhat less for regular bus-

ing. However, Arcidy said that there are no longer any guarantees, since the formula for reimbursement has changed. He said the state will now consider the average spent on transportation throughout the state, on a per-program basis.

Until now, he said, there has been no particular incentive for systems to become efficient with their transportation costs.

Andover will submit a detailed report to the state at the end of the school year, he said, and then wait to see what funds will be forthcoming.

Sugar Trees

Pennsylvania housewives used to spend at least two weeks preparing edible tree ornaments. They candied fruit, gilded or painted nuts, baked cookies and strung dried apple rings, popcorn and cranberries. The results were "sugartrees," which remained intact until

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School Board In Session

The school committee will meet Tuesday at 7:30 p.m., beginning in executive session to discuss negotiation, then proceeding to open session about 8 p.m.

Agenda items for Tuesday include budget discussions, a report from the school building committee and curriculum presentations on science, social studies and occupational educational programs.

Clark

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come to Andover.

Selectmen had intended to conduct the evaluation about a month ago, but took no action when the League of Women Voters cited open meeting law requirements with respect to such sessions.

Selectmen had hoped to conduct the process in an informal atmosphere.

Clark has requested a recent meetings that the evaluation session be scheduled.

Last Thursday the meeting was postponed for 10 a.m. Saturday. When the session opened Saturday the door was ordered to remain open by Chairman Cole and the entire session taped.

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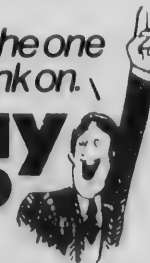
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Dinner By Candlelight

Ballard Vale United Church held its annual Candlelight Buffet Saturday night. Clockwise, beginning above: Wendell Mattheson prepares the rolls; Alan Henderson serves up the potatoes; Chefs Bill Nicoll and Ernest Hall carve the roast beef; Ervin Livingston, David Beckerman and Carol Gable enjoy the dinner; and Peter McKallagat serves himself.



David M. McConkey

Named Network Director

David Max McConkey, 60 Chestnut St., has been named director of The Network, a non-profit educational service and research organization with offices at 290 South Main St. The announcement was made by David P. Crandall, Network president and executive director.

Formerly Network program director, McConkey has been a member of The Network staff since 1972. He has served in a variety of program, staff, administrative and management roles, including directing the National Learning Disabilities Assistance Project, the Massachusetts Diffusion Assistance Project, and the organization's Communication and Product Development Division.

A former teacher and journalist, McConkey is a graduate of the Pennsylvania State University. His doctoral work in education was done at the University of Massachusetts, Amherst. A native of Pennsylvania, he lived in Vermont before joining The Network.

As Network Director McConkey will be responsible for the overall management and administration of the organization's projects and divisions. He will serve with Crandall, who intends to concentrate his principal efforts on The Network's new, United States Office Of Education-funded 'Study of Dissemination Efforts Supporting School Improvement,' as a member of the corporation's executive staff.

Since 1969 The Network has been promoting growth and change in schools and other educational organizations by providing a variety of training and technical assistance services in such areas as staff development, evaluation, management skills, and resource utilization. All Network programs offer personalized, on-site services and emphasize local needs assessment, effective use of existing resources formative evaluation for program improvement, and improved

problem-solving skills.

Network clients include local school districts, intermediate service agencies, colleges and universities, state education agencies, and other non-profit and commercial organizations in all fifty states. The Network is also conducting several funded educational service and research projects for various state and federal agencies. Its offices were located in Merrimac until November of last year when it moved into its Andover facilities, which houses 45 staff.

McConkey is the husband of Judith E. McConkey, an instructional aide at the Sanborn School, and the father of Lisa Christine, a student at East Junior High School, and Aaron Thoreau, a second-grade student at Doherty School.

Haartz

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public office holders. For instance, no past or present President or past or present member of a President's Cabinet, could be pardoned for any act performed while holding that office; no person who has held a state or federal office, or a close relative, could be appointed to the U.S. Senate unless elected by popular vote; no member of one branch of the U.S. government could be appointed to another branch in less than 20 years, unless elected by popular vote; no person who has failed in reelection may serve in that branch in less than 20 years, unless he is duly elected; no candidate could spend his property or money in excess of 60 percent of one year's salary for the office he is seeking; no person could contribute more than \$50 to a candidate in any two-year period; no person or group could contribute anything worth more than \$200 to a candidate seeking federal office in any three-year period; and finally, because the Bill of Rights sometimes becomes "a license in favor of the wrong-doer," it is not to be used by any member of the federal government, since such members are already assured several protections by the original federal Constitution.

Amendment

Haartz' legislative amendment would require that any proposed law which benefits 30 people or less, must, after its second reading before the House and Senate, be published in detail, including the name, age and occupation of each person who would be benefitted, along with legislators sponsoring the bill.



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The Christmas Story

Children and teachers of St. Augustine's special needs religion class participated in a Christmas liturgy and nativity play Sunday. Children and young adults from Andover, Reading, North Andover and Chelmsford attend classes weekly at the church. The cast is shown in upper photo, while in lower photo, Brother Peter, OSA, Michael Damon, Steven Good and John Garabedian, are shown in a scene from the nativity play. Attending the class are Christopher Harvey, Rusty Leonard, Kevin Simonds, Michael Clement, Mark Lespasa, Sharon Shola, Richard Lally, Karl Schumaker, Karen Doland, Michael Damon, Billy Flynn, John Garabedian, Denise Gaudet, Julie Sullivan and Steven Good.

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Essex Broadway's commitment to meet the housing needs of the community was evidenced by the volume of mortgage loans processed in 1978. Total real estate loans generated in 1978 exceeded \$43,000,000, compared with \$26,000,000 in 1977, and reflected a substantial investment in residential properties in Lawrence. Essex Broadway's real estate loan portfolio totalled \$136,000,000 in October, 1978.

The personal loan department continued its growth in 1978 with outstanding loans increasing by 14.8% during the year to a new high of \$10,100,000.

Fitzpatrick reported that operating earnings increased 9.2% from 1977 and emphasized the bank's strong surplus position. "Our surplus to deposit ratio of 10.9% is one of the highest in Massachusetts," he said. The average for all Massachusetts savings banks is 8.8%. He also indicated that the bank's common stocks, totalling \$12,400,000, showed an appreciation of 20.7% over cost, meaning an additional margin of protection for depositors.

In addition to these outstanding financial performance figures, Fitzpatrick recalled the introduction of new services in 1978, including a network of automated teller machines called TellerMate/24 which offer customers the convenience of 24-hour banking. Essex Broadway now also offers VISA credit cards. In the area of deposits, Essex Broadway has made available two new types of savings accounts: 8% eight-year Term Certificates and six-month "Money Market" Certificates.

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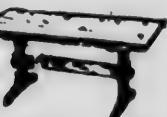


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**Gym Team
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Bill Hart left, and Frank Ogoe have been chosen as captain of the gymnastics team at Andover High School for the winter season. Eric Ketzler, also a gym team captain, was absent when photo was taken.

Top Grid Award Presented Farnham

The highlight of the 20th annual Andover High Football banquet, held at the West Junior High cafeteria on Thursday, Dec. 7, was the awarding of the Eugene V. Lovely Memorial Award as the team's outstanding player to Paul Farnham.

Other major awards were presented to Len Driscoll, the Gus Connolly Award; Edward Collins, the Charles Maurikas Award; and Manny Silva, the Edward Collins Award.

The Connolly Award is for dedication, loyalty and sportsmanship, the Maurikas Award is to the team's outstanding two-way player, and the Collins Award to the team's outstanding back. Driscoll was also recognized as the team's outstanding linemen.

A special feature of the evening was the presentation of the Outstanding Opponent Ward to offensive guard Bill Quinn of Chelmsford High School. Gifts were presented to the Golden Warrior cheerleaders by outgoing captains Len

Driscoll, Ed Collins and Manny Silva. Captains elect for the 1979 season were announced as Tony Gianonne, Bill Stahley and Tom Walsh.

Game footballs and letters were presented to Dan Gramms, Mark DeFranco, Bob Surret, Ray Lynch, Mike Lynch, Dave Oldaker, Ken Dillon and Jeff Hudgins. Also awarded letters were Doug Starkweather, Dave Nardonne, Melvin Berger, Chris Donavan, Ed Reming, Grant Davies, John Walsh, Kevin Peters, Bob Page, Steve Neyman, Chris Poulsen, Ken Levanti, Scott Donahue, Dan Russo, Jim Coombs, Phil Doherty, Don McEvey, Bill Lucey, Bill Hart, Bob Hunter, Ken Southworth, Ken Degan, Dan Dellatto, Eric Darby, Joe LaHood, Jim DePiano and Bill Bruner.

Also announced were the selection of Paul Farnham and Len Driscoll to the All-League first team and Ed Collins and Bob Surret to the second team. Paul Farnham, Len Driscoll and Manny Silva were also announced as being named to the Eagle Tribune all area team.

At times, strings of popcorn, berries, and gilt nuts, as well as paper flowers, tiny dolls, candies and cookies, were used to decorate the Christmas tree.



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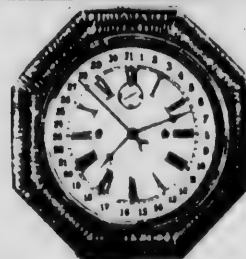
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Andover's New Indian Ridge Country Club will be represented by a foursome in the seventh annual Crown Royal World Invitational Pro-Am Tournament at the famed Pebble Beach course in Monterey, Cal. Jan. 14 to 19.

Headed by pro Ross Coon, the New Indian Ridge team is made up of Dan Hurley, Gabe Porciello and Robert Harrington.

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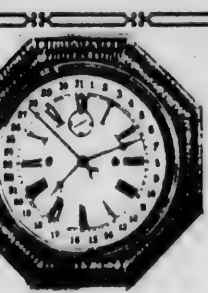
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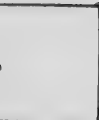
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Intermediates Kick Off Season

By Rick Harrison

The heavily-populated Andover Church Basketball League Intermediate Blue Division kicked off its 1978-79 season with five games last week.

South-Baptist, St. Robert's C, Christ B, Christ A and St. Robert's D were all winners.

South-Baptist, 20-18

South-Baptist fell behind Ballardvale United 10-7 at halftime, exploded for a 9-0 run in the third quarter, and then fought off a last period charge by BU to eke out the victory.

The well-balanced S-B offense was paced by Dave Hughes, Scott Lattanzio and John Gardiner with 4 points apiece.

Brian Finnerty flipped through 3 points,

Nancy Rogers and Jean Blair were other leaders for C-C.

Dick Bourdelais emerged as game-high marksman for West B, tossing through 9 points including six during a brief fourth quarter comeback bid.

Kelly Strong fired in 6 markers and Robbie Barnard added a second period basket. Phil Stocking also played well for WP.

Christ A, 16-8

Christ Church A broke open a halftime deadlock with an 8-4 third period run, then used fine defense to throttle Christ C. 16-8.

Roger Fiske was the big gun for the winners with 10 points while Laura Wilson, Andy Cummings and Mark Asgeirsson contributed single baskets to the cause.

Landers added solid performances.

St. Augustine E received single baskets from Paul Sheedy, Matthew Shine, Walt Radulski and Sean Derrah. Bobby Derrah

added a third quarter free throw.

Billy Derrah, Tim McAllister and Tim Scanlon all played well for St. Augustine E.

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Dave Sorrie 2, Craig Sorrie 2, and Bob Mattes swished a second period free throw.

Jeff Ashworth and Mal Galvilln also starred for the victors.

Jeff Crowninshield and Dave Baker sparked Ballardvale with 10 and 6 points respectively, including four apiece in the fourth quarter surge.

Rick Brouillard popped through a first period fieldgoal while Dana Belpedio, Frances Robinson, Timmy Nolan and Tom Darling were other United standouts.

St. Robert's C, 40-12

Seven players cracked the scoring column for powerful St. Robert's C, which constructed a 28-7 halftime lead before easing home against St. Augustine D.

Neal Weaver was game-high with 14 points, a dozen of them during the first half, while John Veilleux and J.R. Duhadway contributed 6 apiece.

Matt Dispensa, Tom Dolan and Jim Veilleux canned 4 points each, and Geoff Dowell chipped in a first quarter bucket.

Chris Bartley and Steve McGettrick led the St. Augustine D counterattack with 4 points each. Scott McAllister pocketed 2 points; and foul shots were delivered by Nick Lembo and Paul Zahornasky.

Christ B, 23-17

Single baskets by Chris Wright, Matt Leonard and Eric Anderson gave Christ B a 6-4 opening period lead over West Parish B, and the victors inched steadily ahead enroute to the 23-17 victory.

Leonard finished the contest with 8 points, Steve Blair stuffed 6, Eric Anderson 5, Bill Earnshaw 2 and Wright 2.

Steve Francis and Glen Livermore helped spark the Christ A defense.

John Beardsley netted 6 points and Cheryl Hough 2 for Christ C.

St. Robert's D, 14-9

Tim Moynihan and Tom O'Connell dropped through 4 points apiece as St. Robert's D snuck past S. Augustine E, 14-9.

Chris Smith, Mike Moynihan and Steve Rockwell scored one bucket each for the victors, who maintained a slim edge throughout the contest.

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St. Robert's C	1-0-40-12
Christ B	1-0-23-17
South-Baptist	1-0-20-18
Christ A	1-0-16-8
St. Robert's D	1-0-14-9
Ballardvale	0-1-18-20
West Parish B	0-1-17-23
St. Augustine D	0-1-12-40
St. Augustine E	0-1-9-14
Christ C	0-1-8-16

Top Scorers

FG-FT-PTS.

Neal Weaver, SARC	7-0-14
Jeff Crowninshield, BU	5-0-10
Roger Fiske, CCA	5-0-10
Rich Bourdelais, WP	4-1-9
Matt Leonard, CCB	4-1-8

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Starting Lineup

The starting lineup for Andover High's girl basketball team, preparing for Merrimack Valley Conference competition is, from left, Lisa

DeBruyckere, Maureen McDonald, Bonnie Daley, Sue Messersmith and Anne Moriarty.

Bantams In 9-5 Romp

the Andover Bantam "A" hockey team romped to a convincing 9-5 victory Saturday over the Concord, N.H., Bantams.

Led by Tom MacDonald's 3-goal hat trick and a pair of red-lighters by Rick Apgar, Andover posted its second win in its past three games. Andover trailed 3-2 after the first period in a see-saw scoring parade.

Concord took an early lead on a goal by Ekstrom at 3:18 of the period but Craig Silva's first goal of the season evened the score 40 seconds later. Standing at the left corner of the net Silva banged home a centering pass from linemate John Young. Gary Milne also assisted.

At 5:15 Rick Apgar fired home a power play goal for the locals to give them a 2-1 lead. Assisting were John Best and

defenseman Tim Derby.

The lead lasted only one minute, however, as Young scored for Concord giving the visitors a 3-2 lead as the period ended.

As the second period got underway Andover quickly tied the game and then began to pull away.

At 1:26 Apgar again scored on the power play with Best and George Price assisting.

Two minutes later MacDonald potted his first of the game to give Andover a

lead they never gave up. Greg Sacco made a fine pass to set up this tally.

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Close Contests In Opener

By Rick Harrison

West Parish A, St. Augustine B and St. Robert's B launched their respective Andover Church Basketball League seasons with victories in Intermediate Gold Division play last week.

West Parish inched away in the second half enroute to a 38-33 triumph over St. Augustine C. St. Augustine B used a fourth quarter rally to overcome St. Augustine A, 29-24, and St. Robert's B spurted in the third period for a 26-15 victory over St. Robert's A.

West A, 38-33

West Parish A and St. Augustine C traded baskets over the first two periods, finishing at halftime in a 20-20 deadlock.

However, clutch shooting from Chris Marcella and Bill Weidman in the second half enabled West Parish to pull out the close win.

Marcella led the well-disciplined WP crew with 14 points and Weidman had 12. Both boys also did some excellent work off both backboards.

Chris Guay and Andy Thompson hooped 4 points each, while second period baskets were notched by Billy Lane and Rich Dunn.

Quick penetrating guard Jim Stetzel enjoyed an outstanding night for St. Augustine C, pacing all scores with 21 points, while teammates Shawn Johnson, Tom Lemieux and John Geiger added 4 each.

Joe Hart, Ron Peck and Rich Graham were other stalwarts for St. Augustine C.

St. Augustine B, 29-24

St. Augustine B and sister club St. Augustine A were tied several times during the course of their contest, and the A crew was clinging to a tenuous 22-20 lead entering the final quarter.

That last session belonged to the B team, however, as speedy Tim Riley netted a pair of driving layups and had five

points in the period. The winners outscored the A team 9-2 to pull out the victory.

Riley emerged as game-high marksman with 17 points, while Dan Beckerman tossed in 6 second half markers.

Mike Powers and Brian McAnally hit first period buckets, and Rick Sullivan contributed an important fourth stanza fieldgoal.

Lanky Tom Lutz kept St. Augustine A in contention with his strong inside game, finishing the contest with 16 points.

Jim Denoncourt pocketed 4 first-half markers and John Regan added 4 points.

Tom Hollenbeck, John Morrow and Matt Aumais also played well for the A squad.

St. Robert's B, 26-15

Leading 11-8 at halftime, St. Robert's B outscored St. Robert's A 12-0 in the third quarter to seal its 26-15 triumph.

Dean Weaver turned in an outstanding all-around effort for the winners, stuffing 15 points including 10 during the pivotal third quarter.

Joe Puccia had 4 first period points while Bob Dziadosz, Matt Chinchillo and Joe Vecchi added single baskets. Tim

Bantams

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At 5:44 Andover's power play once again clicked as Bob Leber fired a 50-footer from the right point after Apgar fed the puck back from the corner.

Andover's lead went to 6-3 at 77:43 as MacDonald again found the range. Sacco again made the important feed after receiving a pass from Captain Derby.

Concord tried to close the gap as they scored a power play goal at 8:17 but at 9:21 Andover regained the three-goal lead. This time it was Sacco finding the net after being set up by linemates MacDonald and J.J. Downey.

Before the period ended MacDonald completed his hat trick as he combined with Sacco and Downey at 12:11.

In the final frame the teams traded goals with Best scoring for Andover at 4:43. Apgar drew the assist on this goal.

Concord's last gasp came at 5:57 as they netted another power play goal.

Sharing the netminding duties for Andover and playing well were Scott Round and Barry Moore.

Andover, now 3-11 overall, faces a busy week. After a league game tonight (Thursday) against Tewksbury the local team will have four straight home games facing Newburyport (Sunday at P.A.-5:15 p.m.), Worcester (Tuesday at Merrimack - 7:30 p.m.), North Andover (Thursday at P.A.-8 p.m.) and Lawrence (Saturday at P.A.-6 p.m.).

Miller converted a fourth period free throw.

Bob Rikeman played a strong game off the boards for SRB.

Todd Sleath netted 8 points and was tough in the rebounding department for St. Robert's A.

Bobby Veilleux chipped in 4 second period tallies, Ed Melia hooped a fourth quarter basket, and Chris Fay canned a free throw.

Chris Comparato and Mike Melia were other SRA standouts.

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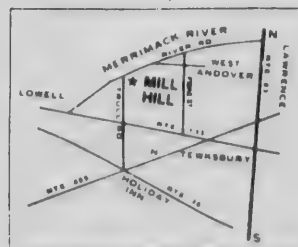


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St. Augustine B	1-0-29-24
St. Robert's B	1-0-26-15
St. Augustine C	0-1-33-38
St. Augustine A	0-1-24-29
St. Robert's A	0-1-15-26
Top Scorers	
	FG-FT-Pts
Jim Stetzel, SAC	9-3-21
Tim Riley, SAB	8-1-17
Tom Lutz, SAA	8-0-16
Dean Weaver, SRB	7-1-15
Chris Marcella, WP	7-0-14
Bill Weidman, WP	6-0-12

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St. Robert's Remains Unbeaten

By Rick Harrison

After last week's play in the Senior Division of the Andover church Basketball League, only St. Robert's remained undefeated (2-0) following its 32-19 conquest of West Parish.

In other action at the East Junior High, St. Augustine B trimmed Ballardvale United, 44-30, and Christ Church dumped St. Augustine A, 37-21.

St. Robert's, 32-19

St. Robert's used an excellent first period, during which time it outscored West Parish 15-6, as the springboard to its victory.

Both teams, particularly St. Robert's, were guilty of numerous turnovers the rest of the way. However, WP was never able to close the gap.

Big Bud Budrewicz once again powered the attack, dominating the boards and scoring a game-high 13 points including nine during the explosive first quarter.

Mike Leary chipped in 9 markers and was a defensive standout for St. Robert's, while Tom Palma notched 6 points and solo buckets were scored by Ken Saliba and Yvon Levesque.

Tom MacDonald contributed a fine all-around game for West, flipping through 6 points, and Ben Bram tossed in 7 markers.

Completing the WP offense with lone fieldgoals were Jim Lowe, Jeff Lindquist and Jon Bram.

Mark Easton and Rick Desmarais also played well for West.

Christ Church, 37-21

Christ Church pulled away from St.

Augustine A by bits and pieces, leading 8-4 after one period, 20-12 at halftime and 26-14 after three quarters.

Divisional scoring leader Mark Rogers was again top scorer for the Crusaders, pouring through 17 points.

Eric Fredette cracked double figures with 10 points, Dave Menard canned 5, Randy Jones 2, Mike Blair 2 and Ted MacDonald swished a charity toss.

John Rogers also played well for C-C, which went without Mark Frost.

The addition of Fredette and Menard to the lineup bolstered the winners' overall board strength.

St. Augustine A center Tim Bolduc popped in 12 points, Rich Sambuco had 4, Pat Beaudine 3 and Mike Hobbs swished two foul shots.

Tim Tiberri and Tom Bolduc also played well for St. Augustine.

St. Augustine B, 44-30

St. Augustine B was able to rest several key players throughout the game, thanks to its bench strength, and this was a big factor in a decisive 13-3 fourth quarter that enabled SAB to trim Ballardvale.

Mark Paradis led the victors' assault with 13 points, including five down the stretch, while Mark Connolly added 8 points, Mark Boyle 6 and Greg Shepard 6.

Rounding out the multi-faceted St. Augustine B attack were Dan Donovan with 4 points, Steve Farrington 3 and Terry Rourke 2.

Pat Martin and Pete Scanlon turned in strong games as well.

Senior Division "rookie" Steve Todd was outstanding for United with a game-high 14 points, 10 of them in the opening stanza, while Gary Forbes pocketed 7 points and Frank Rossitto had 6.

Chuck Burnett canned a third quarter fieldgoal and Jim MacMillan swished a first period free throw for BU.

Dave Souter, Rod Hollenbeck and Art

Named To Maine Team

Ellen Wilkinson of Andover, a student at Bates College, Maine, has been named to the All-Maine Intercollegiate Women's Volleyball Team.

The team was selected by the Maine Association of Intercollegiate Athletics for Women based on their rating of individual players throughout the season.

Dunlavy were other Ballardvale stalwarts.


Schedule

Senior Division play resumed last Tuesday night, after TOWNSMAN presstime, while next Tuesday's slate at East Junior High has Christ Church vs. St. Robert's at 6:30 p.m., Ballardvale vs. West Parish at 7:30, and St. Augustine A vs. St. Augustine B at 8:30 p.m.

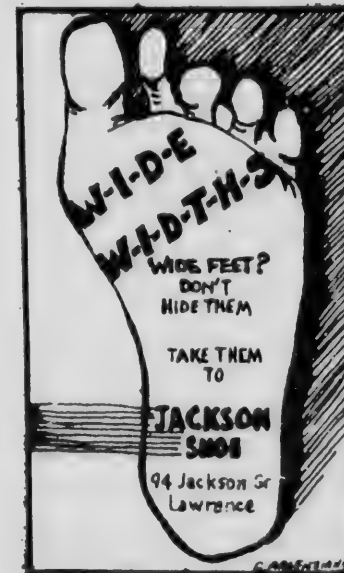
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St. Augustine B	1-1-73-60
Christ Church	1-1-61-52
West Parish	1-1-50-56
St. Augustine A	1-1-48-52
Ballardvale	0-2-45-71

Scoring Leaders

FG-FT-PTS.

Mark Rogers, C-C	14-4-322
Tim Bolduc, SAA	11-4-26
Bud Budrewicz, SR	11-3-25
Mark Paradis, SAB	11-1-23
Tom Palma, SR	7-2-16
Ben Bram, WP	3-9-15
Mark Connolly, SAB	7-1-15
Mike Leary, SR	6-2-14
Steve Todd, BU	6-2-14
Gary Forbes, BU	4-3-11

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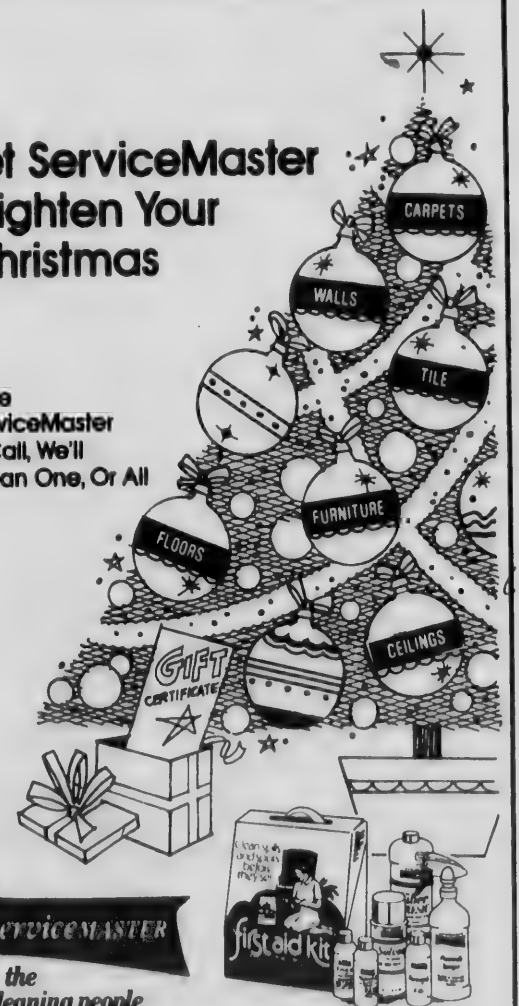
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Cougars 16 — Lions 5

The Andover Youth Basketball League season opened with a very exciting 16-15 game with the Cougars, coached by Chuck DeLeire, winning over the Lions. The winners took a 10-7 lead at the half behind the shooting of John Tateossian and rebounding of Tom DeLeire. The Lions behind the outside shooting of Larry Aiello and rebounding of Michael Dimeo closed to within 1 point with 45 second remaining. The husteing of Kyle Marcella kept the Lions in the ball game right up to the last second. Good defensive work of Dave McDonough and Joa Ruben during crucial moments of the second half helped the Cougars protect their slim lead.

Eric Ageirsson pulled down the deciding

rebounds and John Perry scored the last two points for the winners which was all they needed.

Cougars

John Perry	3-0-6
John Tateossian	2-0-4
Steve Gemmell	2-0-4
Chat Churbuck	1-0-2
Total	8-0-16

Lions

Steven Redgate	4-0-8
Larry Aiello	3-0-6
David Vickers	0-1-1
Total	7-1-15
Quarters	1-2-3-4 Total
Cougars	4-6-4-2 16
Lions	2-5-2-6 15

Tigers 20 — Panthers 6

The Tigers, coached by Nick Weaver, took a 10 point lead in the first half with Chris Nelson and Todd Patti making several steals and feeding Neal Weaver who scored 8 of his game leading 10 points.

In the second half behind the hustle of Geoff Bolan and scoring of Lydia Wise the Panthers cut into the big lead built up by the Tigers. Big Mark Needham grabbed several important rebounds for the Tigers to halt the rally and keep the hard working Panthers at a safe distance.

Tigers

Neal Weaver	5-0-10
Todd Patti	2-0-4
George Phillip	1-0-2
Scott Plamondon	1-0-2
Eric Eddy	1-0-2
Total	10-0-20

Panthers

Lydia Wise	2-0-4
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Geoff Bolan	1-0-2
Total	3-0-6
Quarters	1-2-3-4
Tigers	6-4-6-4
Panthers	0-0-0-6

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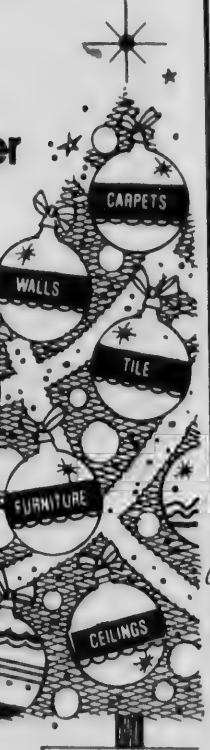
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Seastars Start Season With Win

Lead by five triple winners, The Andover-North Andover YMCA Seastars Girls' swim team began the 1978-79 season as they defeated the Quincy YMCA in three of five age groups.

In Class A, Jill Bottomly paced Andover to a 15-0 win with victories in 100 yard freestyle, backstroke and butterfly events.

Tracy McCoy and Carol Robb posted triple wins in Class B. McCoy took the 100-yard freestyle and 200-yard individual medley and Robb the 500-yard freestyle and 100-yard butterfly. They combined with Ann Marie Grogan and Julie Morton to take the 200-yard medley relay. Morton placed second in the 200-yard freestyle and 100-yard backstroke, while Grogan was second in the 50-yard freestyle. Lisa Nolan and Lisa Johnson also contributed to the 51-26 victory.

In Class C triple winner Mary Ann Ponti won first place in the 50-yard breaststroke and 200-yard individual medley and Jennifer Smith, also a triple winner, took the 50-yard freestyle and 50-yard backstroke events as Andover won 69-14. Ponti and Smith teamed with double winner Abby Robb and Anne Costello to win the 200-yard medley relay. Robb got her double win by taking the 50-yard butterfly. Maegan Hughes was also a double winner taking the 100-yard freestyle and swimming with Karen McKay, Kate Inskeep and Lulu Donahue to win the 200-yard freestyle relay. Hughes also placed third in the 50-yard freestyle.

Andrea Matchett took first in the 200-yard freestyle in Class C with Dawn Aikman second and Moira Schwing third; and Lisa Boudreau won the diving competition with Lisa Pomeroy second. Costello placed second in the 50-yard breaststroke. Inskeep placed third in the 50-yard freestyle and third in the 50-yard backstroke. Inskeep placed third in the 50-yard butterfly and 200-yard individual medley and Sarah Gershenberg came in third in the 100-yard freestyle. The Class C swimmers placed first in all nine swimming events and in the diving.

Class D swimmers turned in four first place performances in losing 26-47. Carolyn Cronin swam to a first in the 100-

yard individual medley and Amy Morton placed first in the 50-yard breaststroke. Kara Hannon won the 500-yard backstroke and Melissa Morton took honors in the diving event. Jane Barhoff placed second and Kathy McElroy third in the 50-yard breaststroke events to add points for the team.

Swimming in Class E Cindy McDonald and Alicia Policinski each took a first place. McDonald won in the 25-yard backstroke and added a second in the 50-yard free-style and a third in the 25-yard freestyle.

Policinski won the 50-yard freestyle and took second in the 25-yard freestyle. Adding points for the team were Susan MacGregor, second in the 25-yard breaststroke and third in the 50-yard freestyle; Nancy Abramson, second in the 25-yard backstroke and Kate Robb, third in the 25-yard backstroke and backstroke events.

The Andover A division team led the boy's team to victories in two of four age groups against the Cambridge YMCA at Cambridge.

Glenn Johnson, Mike Maher and Greg Stelzer each posted triple wins for Andover. Johnson took firsts in the 60-yard freestyle and 100-yard backstroke. Maher won in the 200-yard freestyle and 100-yard breaststroke while Stelzer finished first in the 100-yard freestyle and 160-yard individual medley. These three were joined by Dave Jennings in winning the 160-yard medley relay. Jennings also placed second in the 100 and 200-yard freestyle events. The final score was 43-9, Andover.

In Class B John Hannon placed second in the 100-yard freestyle and third in the 100-yard breaststroke. Tim Jennings was second in the 100-yard backstroke and third in the 60-yard freestyle while David Maxwell rounded out the point scoring by placing third in the 200-yard freestyle event.

Every point counted as Andover Class C edged Cambridge 40-35. Individual first places were scored by Grant Van Aken in the 40-yard freestyle, Matt Donahue in the 40-yard butterfly and Dennis Sullivan in the 40-yard breaststroke. The 160-yard freestyle relay team of Brian Shannon, Mike DeNitto, Peter Gulezien and Greg Morava also won. Morava and Shannon finished second and third in the 200-yard

freestyle and did Sullivan and Donahue in the 160-yard individual medley. Shannon also took second in the 40-yard butterfly and Morava placed second in the 100-yard freestyle. DeNitto was third in the event. Gerald O'Keeffe added points by placing second in the 40-yard backstroke.

In Class D Mark DeNitto scored a victory in the 40-yard backstroke. Al Frizelle placed second in the 100-yard freestyle and Sean McCarthy did the same in the 40-yard butterfly. J.B. Burgess and Jay Marconi each added points for third place finishes, Burgess in the 40-yard breaststroke and Marconi in the 40-yard freestyle.

Saturday the Seastar boy's team hosts the Somerville YMCA at the Haverhill Street building while the girls team travels to the Montachusets YMCA in Fitchburg.

Chairman

Brad Park, All-Star defenseman of the Boston Bruins, has been selected Honorary Chairman for the 'Holiday Star Telethon for Cerebral Palsy' on Dec. 30 and 31 which will be televised over WNAC-TV, Channel 7. Park's son Robbie has Cerebral Palsy and is a student at the Developmental School of the North Shore in Lynn operated by UCPA of the North Shore, Peabody.

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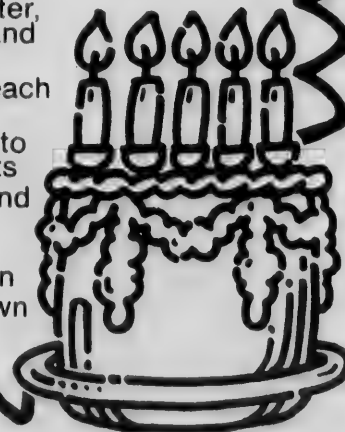
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A YBL Intermediates' Season Underway

By Rick Harrison

Harvard checked Villanova, 24-15, Dartmouth rocked Boston College, 30-8, and Holy Cross stung North Carolina State, 41-19, as the Andover Youth Basketball League launched its 1978-79 season with three Intermediate Division games last week.

Harvard, 24-15

The Crimson and Wildcats were locked in a tense struggle for three quarters, as both teams scored four points in each period and entered the final stanza in a 12-12 deadlock.

Tim Perry flipped in a pair of fourth quarter baskets to spark a 12-3 Harvard run, however, and that enabled the Crimson to win going away.

Bill Weidman powered the winners' offense with a game-high 12 points, while Doug Lindquist and Perry chipped in 4 points apiece.

Mark Patti and Pete Fernandes contributed key fourth period buckets. Weidman and Lindquist were also outstanding on defense.

Brian Orlando topped the Villanova charge with 6 points, Tom Lutz netted 5 and Chris Guay had 4.

Dartmouth, 30-8

Dartmouth was never in trouble, as the Big Green raced to an 8- first period lead and stretched that to 16-2 by halftime.

Mark Nardone took game-high honors with 12 points, including six in the opening session, while Mark Doherty stuffed 6 points and Dan Sheehan swished 6.

Contributing lone fieldgoals to the Dartmouth attack were Nicolle Marcilla and Joey DeQuattro II.

Dean Orfanedes popped in 6 points and Chris Wilson had a third period basket for Boston College.

Co-Ed Scuba Instruction

The Greater Lawrence, Y.M.C.A. will conduct Instructional Co-Ed Scuba Classes beginning, Thursday, Jan. 11. Classes will be held on Thursday evenings for 10 weeks at the Y.M.C.A. pool.

Applicants may be male or female and at least 12 years of age. Those students under 15 years of age must be accompanied by a participating parent.

Persons successfully completing the 32-hour program will receive the Y.M.C.A. National Scuba Certification.

Applications are available at the Main Desk of the Lawrence, Y.M.C.A. Further information may be obtained by contacting the Lawrence, Y.M.C.A., 40 Lawrence St., Lawrence, MA.

Environment

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Dean Lockwood and Charlie Lowe also played well for B.C.

Holy Cross, 41-19

The Crusaders built up a comfortable 15-7 halftime cushion, then erupted for 26 second half points to coast past N.C. State.

Dean Weaver emerged as game-high for Holy Cross with 15 points, including eight in the third frame, while Chris Comparato pumped in 8 points.

Mike Coelho, Brian Sheehy and Joe Lahood added 6 markers each for the winners.

AYBL Standings Intermediates

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Holy Cross	1-0-41-19
Dartmouth	1-0-30-9
Harvard	1-0-24-15
N.C. State	0-1-19-41
Villanova	0-1-15-24
Boston College	0-1-8-30

Top Scorers

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Dan Weaver, HC	7-1-15
Mark Nardone, Dart	6-0-12
Bill Weidman, Harv	6-1-12
Chris Comparato, HC	4-0-8
John Hopwood, NCS	3-1-7

John Hopwood tossed through 7 points for North Carolina State, Chris Marcella hooped 4, and single buckets were delivered by Dave Epstein, Greg Hopwood, Paul Oshan and Mike Donlan.

Mike Morris and Fran Sullivan also played well for N.C. State.

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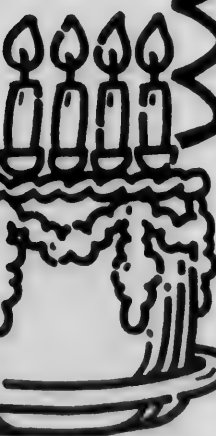


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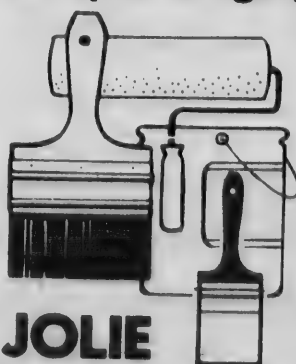
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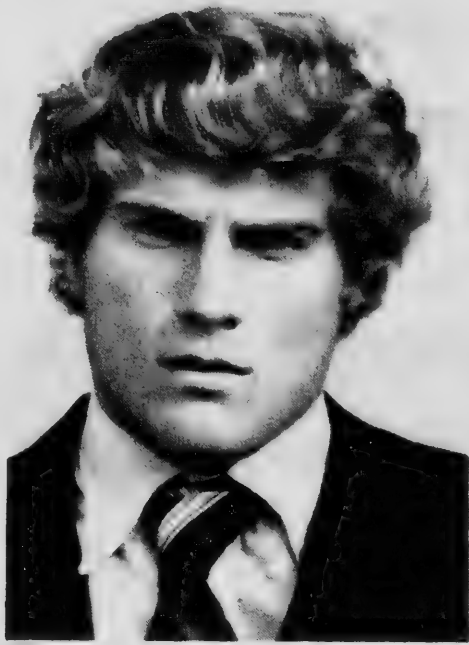
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Colby Defender

Mark Hopkins of Andover, a freshman at Colby college (Waterville, Maine), has contributed at defensive end to the Mules' improved football performances this year. The Andover High School graduate is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Hopkins of 4 Brady Loop.

Instructional Hoop League

The Instructional Division of the Andover Youth Basketball League begins its fourth season next Monday, December 18, 6 p.m. at the West Elementary gym.

The program teaches fundamental individual skills in a non-competitive clinic atmosphere. The clinics are designed for children who have had limited or no formal basketball training.

Limited enrollment will be conducted at the opening session. The program will run every Monday night thru mid-March of next year.

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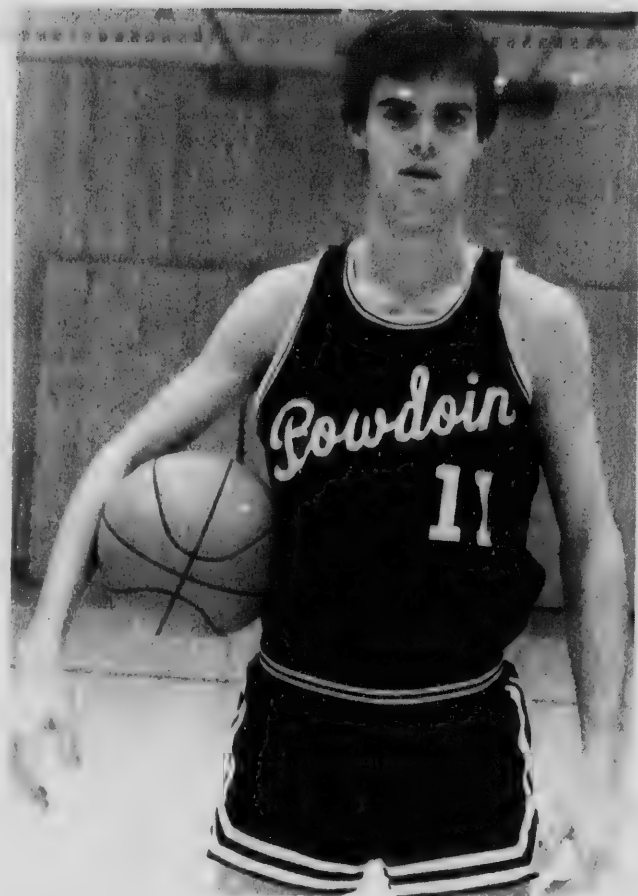
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Bowdoin Player

Geoff Bragdon (above) of 8702 Shadow Lane, Richmond, Va., is a member of the 1978-79 Bowdoin College varsity basketball team. A freshman, he is a graduate of Andover High School. Bragdon is a former resident of Andover.

Awards Presented Troop 76

Pack 76 met at South School recently to hear guest speaker George Eaton of North Andover, who fascinated everyone, with the Indian artifacts and relics he found in the Merrimack Valley.

Receiving the Bobcat Badge were James McKay, Michael Bryson, James Pfeiffer, Allen Boucher, James Ward, Michael Hulsey, Scott Weightman, Andrew Meckel, Bruce Haigman and Thomas Kenney.

James Pfeiffer and Christopher Per-

digao earned their Wolf and gold arrow. Silver arrow awards went to Ken Goff and Billy Cropper.

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Y Winter Term Registration

The Andover-North Andover YMCA registrations for the Winter Term will be accepted at the Haverhill building starting Friday, Dec. 15, 9 a.m. Registrations will be received on a first come basis for Basic and Affiliate Members.

The 10 week Winter Term will start Jan. 2. Prior registration is required for most activities. Program folders are available at the "Y" with full details.

Winter term activities are scheduled for pre-schoolers three years of age and over. Included are swimming lessons, ice skating at Phillips Academy, gymnastics, gym group, ballet, cooking, tap dancing, crafts, etc.

Youth programs are scheduled in the following areas: swim instruction, springboard diving, synchronized swimming, ski instruction, crafts, copper enameling, oil painting, ceramics, Macrame, Model building, floor hockey, Basketball (YBA), BB air rifle, vacation club, candlepin bowling, horseback riding, sewing classes. Boys have apparatus and floor exercise classes, tumbling and weight training available. Girls' programs include: gymnastics, rhythmic and dance, ballet, tap dancing, synchronized swimming, sport fun and weight training.

Healthy Backs

The Greater Lawrence Y.M.C.A. is now accepting registrations for the nationally known program, 'Y's Way To A Healthy Back.' Classes will be held on Tuesday and Thursday evenings from 7:30-8:30 p.m. Beginning Tuesday, Jan 9, 1979, and continuing for 6 weeks. Classes are available to men and women members and non-members.

'The Healthy Back Program' is an exercise program specifically designed for people who suffer from back pain and lower back discomfort. Walt Kimball, Jr., Y.M.C.A. physical director and healthy back instructor, will teach the course. Persons having any questions about the program should contact Mr. Kimball at the Lawrence, Y.M.C.A., 40 Lawrence St.

Adult fitness programs are scheduled for morning and evening periods. A variety of classes are scheduled to meet the needs of most individuals. Ask for the information sheet at the desk describing the programs in detail. Included are "Y's" Way to Fitness, Activities, "Y's" Way to a Healthy Back 1 & 2, Slim Living, Universal Gym, Endurance and Aerobic Swims, jogging, etc. Additional programs offered for adults include: Weight Training, Self-Defense, Senior Citizens' gym and swim, swimming instruction, informal volleyball, Synchronized Swimming, Diving, Red Cross Advanced Lifesaving, CPR, Paddle Tennis, Skiing Instruction, Lo-Cal cooking, cake decorating, oils and acrylics, ceramics, cross country skiing and ski orienteering, horseback riding, etc.

Programs specifically for men are scheduled for swimming instruction, informal volleyball, informal basketball, "Y's" Way to Physical Fitness and a

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Blue Jays Seem To Be Scarce

By Wayne Hanley

Now that I have a bag of cracked corn, I can't find a blue jay to feed. Every year I swear that I will buy cracked corn as a cheap alternate food that will avert the usual half-dozen blue jays' attention from costly sunflower seed. I always advise others to do this. But, as with most things, I seldom do it myself. Even though I know from experience that blue jays willingly accept a cheaper fodder.

Earlier in autumn I had noticed a scarcity of blue jays. For a few weeks the jays were going through the local woods in sizable numbers. Then there was none.

The magnitude of blue jay migration through southern New England in the current fall was typified by a count of 50,000 blue jays crossing Lighthouse Point at New Haven, Conn., in one day: Sept. 26. The birds were moving through other areas, too. But they got counted at Lighthouse Point because a bunch of hawk-watchers stationed there became aware of the unusually great number of blue jays and recorded them.

Apparently what happened among blue jays in southern New England was related to what happened to gray squirrels. Both apparently were devastated by a tremendous shortage of acorns this fall. The squirrels began dispersing and in their wandering were slaughtered along every highway by automobiles. The blue jays flew on to hopefully more rewarding woodlands.

One hesitates to ascribe such dis-

locations as suffered by both squirrels and blue jays to any single cause. Too often that supposed cause proves untrue. However, as my friend Jim MacDougall has reminded me, a year ago his ankles ached from the strains of walking around on the acorn-paved ground surrounding his quarters on Norman's Woe Wildlife Sanctuary. "It was like walking all the time on spilled marbles," he said, "but this year there is not an acorn in sight."

As a member of that minority which finds blue jays not only among the more beautiful New England birds but also quite interesting, I have noticed an occasional dearth of blue jays in other years. The last well-documented winter shortage of blue jays in this region occurred in 1973.

While I do not watch the feeder incessantly, I have seen only one blue jay near it in the weeks it has been open. The bird remained in the area about one hour.

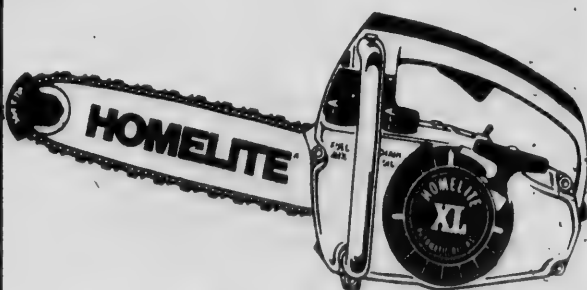
So far as I know, it has not returned. What with a shortage of blue jays leaving so many vacancies at other feeders, it probably has chosen a far better place in which to feed.

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House Plant Season

With the beginning of another winter season, homeowners are now turning their attention to house plants. For this area where your garden is dormant during the winter, the culture of house plants is perhaps the most practical method of continuing your interest in horticulture.

The best procedure now for a homeowner is to take an inventory of the plants growing in his house at this time. Are the plants in a vigorous and healthy condition? With outside interests during the summer months, these indoor plants received less attention and by this time may be suffering from a nutrient deficiency and be in a potbound condition. Fertilizer in the case of nutrient deficiency, repot where plants are potbound, and prune where plants are overgrown. After such a cleanup, there's probably room for another plant or plants; decide what type you prefer or could best be used in your home, a flowering plant or foliage plant.

An informative 21-page bulletin entitled "Growing Bonsai," and a pamphlet "Care of Holiday Plants" is available free on request. Send your request to Extension Editor, Essex Agricultural and Technical Institute, Hathorne, MA 01927.

Lenox area (413) 637-2555

Transportation authorities are hopeful that commuter traffic both on the roads and rails can be sharply reduced during storms. They are asking business and industry to set up staggered hours during storms in order that employees may be sent home at various hours. This use of "flexi-time" which became popular during the record-breaking storms of last winter will

ease the burden on rapid transit lines and lighten highway traffic flow to permit improved snow-plowing operations.

Here are some mid-winter tips from CIS on driving in Massachusetts.

Use snow tires and keep them properly inflated. Underinflated tires put an extra drag on the engine and waste gas.

Keep the gas tank close to full. Running out of gas in a blizzard cost lives last winter.

Check your battery, tires, windshield wipers, lights, blinkers, etc. If your car becomes disabled during a storm they might help save your life!

When the drifts get really deep, tie a flag or banner to the top of your aerial antenna — if you have to abandon your car in the snow, tie a white rag or handkerchief to the driver's side door handle.

Add some dry gas to the fuel tank if the weatherman says the temperature is going down into the small numbers!

Familiarize yourself

with the state if you have to do a lot of driving. CIS will send you a state transportation map if you request one.

All hands are in agreement that winter driving in New England is no "day at the beach" and, on occasions, it can become life-threatening. Good planning and careful preparation can save lives and hours of worry and frustration.

Information on state agencies, such as the Department of Public Works and the Department of Transportation, may be obtained by calling Citizen

Information Service weekday, Monday through Friday, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Dial 727-7030. For those outside the metropolitan Boston area, the state-wide toll free number to call is 1-800-392-6090.

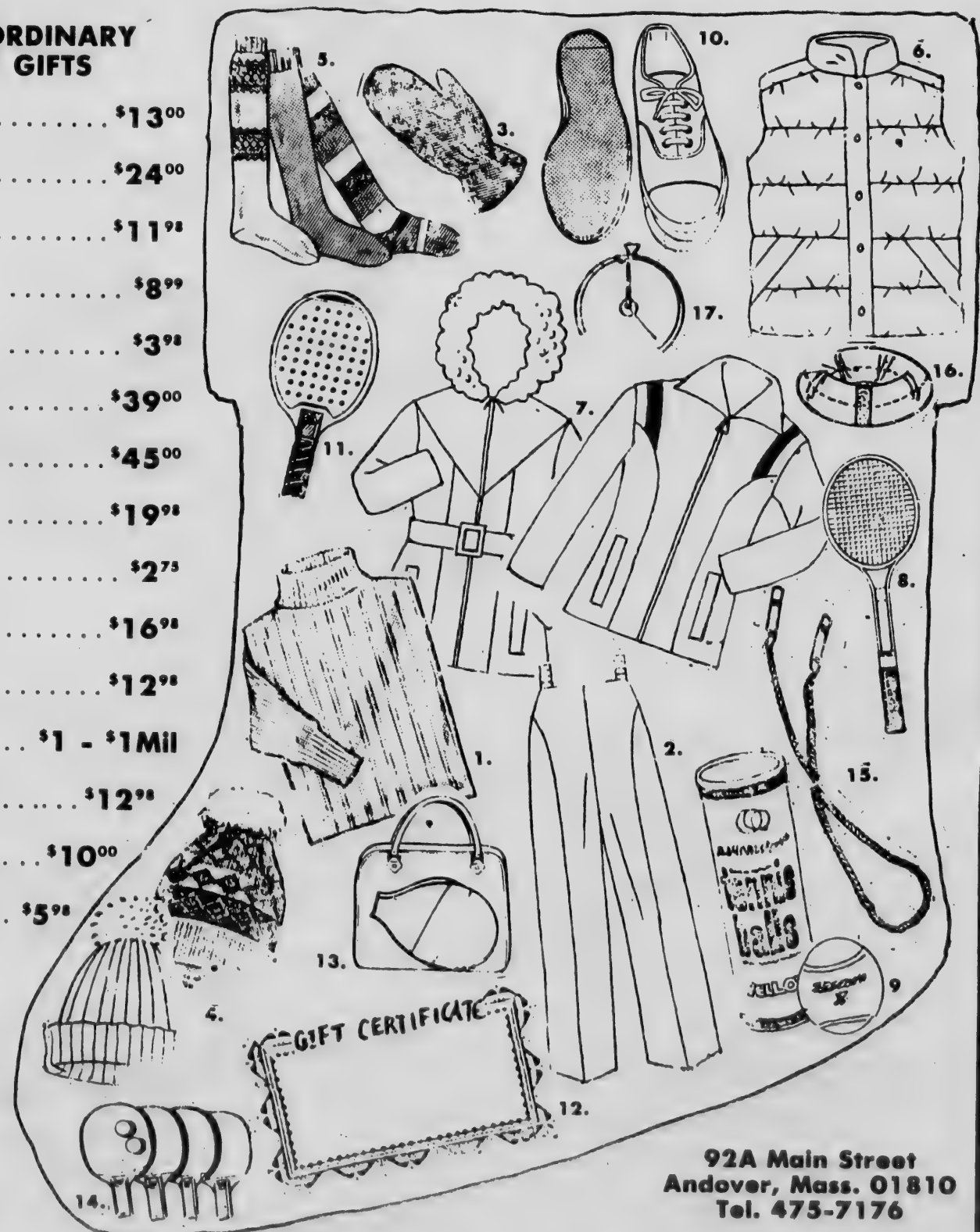
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Warren Harding was President, Prohibition was in full swing and Charlie Chaplin was the delight of million. And Western Electric was manufacturing a variety of electrical appliances in addition to telephone equipment.

Today, of course, Western Electric manufactures only telecommunications equipment, primarily for the Bell System. But when a relic of that bygone era turned up recently in a garage sale in Denver, Colo., some WE employees were sent burrowing back into the past.

It all started when Michael Selby's father-in-law attended a garage sale and came across an antique electrical stethoscope made by Western Electric. Selby works as a salesman for a medical and surgical supply house in Denver, and his father-in-law bought the stethoscope as a gift for him.

Selby wasn't quite sure how to restore the stethoscope to working condition, so he called Western Electric's Mountain-Northwestern Regional Headquarters in Aurora and was put in touch with Mary Smith of the public relations department. Mary had a problem because WE had stopped making the stethoscopes at least 30 years before.

At Mary's suggestion, Jim Shearer of WE's training department called Selby a week later. If he could bring in the stethoscope, Shearer said, one of his engineers would give it a try.

Wayne Corley, a training specialist with Western, was the volunteer. He got in touch with Ed Butler in the patent department in Denver. Butler scratched his head a bit and then called Bell Labs in Murray Hill, N.J. A librarian there did some digging through old records and found it: the original patent and engineering records for the "Stethoscope Apparatus" invention, U.S. Patents 1,658,327 and 1,686,504 granted on May 28, 1924.

"It took approximately five to six hours to repair it," Wayne said. "I repaired a short in the central mechanism and replaced a few things here and there. The power supply was missing, according to the diagram. I couldn't find another in any catalog anywhere, so I used four D-cells."

The stethoscope is now in perfect working order, according to a pleased Michael Selby. "I'm planning to put it in our displays at medical conventions as a conversation piece to draw prospective customers to our line of supplies," he said. The unit can be transported and used anywhere since it has its own power supply and does not need to be plugged into a socket.

The device was recently sent to Chicago, in fact, to go on display in a special museum exhibit at WE's Hawthorne Works in Chicago. Hawthorne, celebrating its 75th Anniversary, showcased various products made there when Western was in the electrical supply business. "I was happy to loan the stethoscope — Western didn't charge me a dime for the repair work, and I wanted to help out," Selby said.

The electrical stethoscope was added to Western Electric's product line as a result of a problem encountered by a medical student at Louisiana State University Medical Center in the 1920's. The student

discovered that, while he could hear conversational tones perfectly, he could not hear heartbeats with the then-conventional acoustical stethoscope. Seeking means to overcome this handicap, so disastrous to a doctor, he finally visited Bell Labs.

The medical student's problem aroused the interest of the Labs' engineers. If they could build an instrument to amplify heart sounds and yet be small enough for practical use, his problem might be solved. As the device took shape, the engineers also found it could be used to cut down on normal heart sound and, by means of a filter, tune in on any murmur sounds which might be present.

Although amplification power in today's stethoscopes is quite commonplace, WE's introduction a half century ago of an electrical stethoscope that could amplify heart sounds was revolutionary.

With the aid of the electrical stethoscope, the student was able to complete his training. The story came to the attention of numerous medical men

throughout the country, not only those having the same handicap but others wanting to know more about the new device. When requests for the instrument came pouring in, Western Electric decided to manufacture it on a commercial basis. It was marketed until just after World War II.

And nearly everybody had forgotten about it until one turned up in a garage sale in Denver.

Children's Theatre

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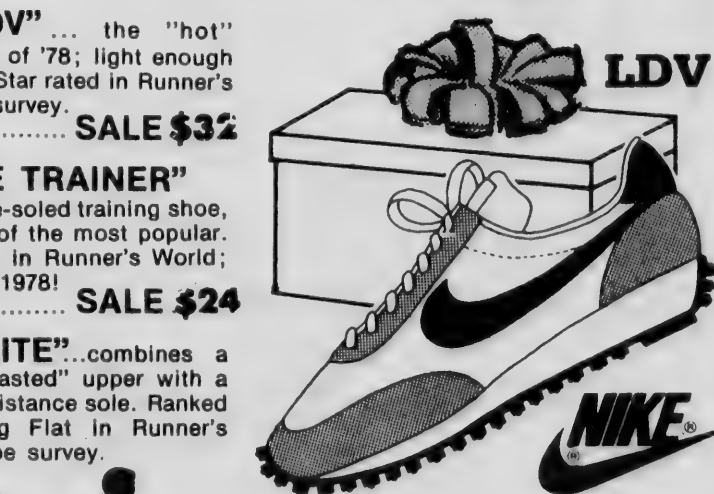
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The recent appointment of Dean Lahikainen has been announced by Director Bryant F. Tolles, Jr. Lahikainen holds a Master of Arts Degree from Syracuse University where he graduated summa cum laude. Winner of a grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities, he researched the life and works of the

Swedish-American folk sculptor and violin maker, Gustaf Nyman (1864-1954).

He has been Resident Manager of the Lexington-Historical Society's Historic House Buckman Tavern, Assistant Curator of the Lexington Historical Society, Consultant-panelist for the National Endowment for the Humanities Youthgrants Program, Curatorial Assis-

tant and acting Registrar at Syracuse University Art Collection, and Assistant Curator of Prints at Merrimack Valley Textile Museum.

An impressively lengthy list of

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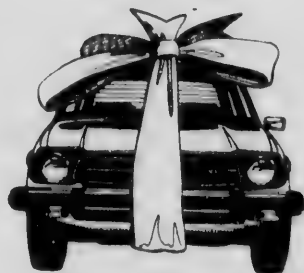
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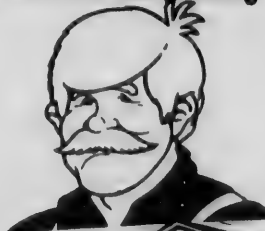
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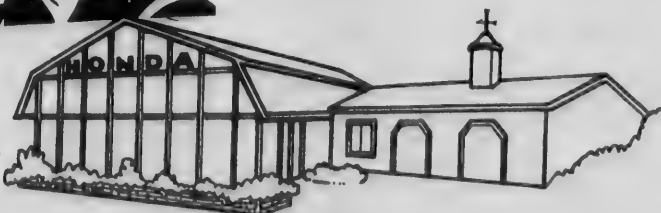


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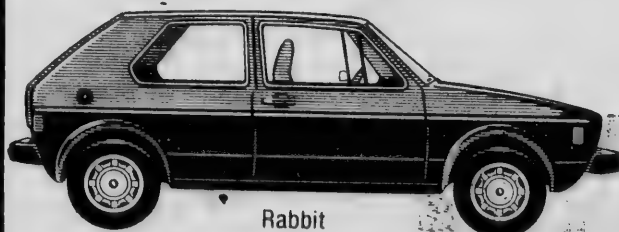
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LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF
MASSACHUSETTS
PROBATE COURT
Docket No. 343364

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the petition hereinafter described.

A petition has been presented to said Court by EDGAR WAYNE FILIPPELLO, of Andover in said County, praying that his names may be changed as follows:

EDGAR WAYNE FILIPPELLO to EDGAR WAYNE FILIPPELL

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the second day of January 1979, the return day of this citation.

Witness, ALBERT P. PETTORUTO, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-seventh day of November 1978.

JOHN J. COSTELLO,
Register
Dec. 14, 21, 28, 1978

COMMONWEALTH OF
MASSACHUSETTS
PROBATE COURT
Docket No. 343371

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in JOSEPH MICHAEL WARD of Andover in said County, minor.

A petition has been presented to said Court, praying that NANCY J. BROWN of Andover in the County of Essex or some other suitable person, be appointed his guardian.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the second day of January 1979, the return day of this citation.

Witness, ALBERT P. PETTORUTO, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this thirtieth day of November 1978.

JOHN J. COSTELLO,
Register
Dec. 7, 14, 21, 1978

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LEGAL NOTICES

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF
REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the powers of sale contained in two certain mortgages, one from DENNIS C. STACKHOUSE, Trustee under Declaration of Trust dated December 15, 1976, recorded with North Essex Registry of Deeds, Book 1299, Page 329, and known as Essexwood Realty Trust, said mortgage being dated December 28, 1976, recorded with said Registry of Deeds, Book 1299, Page 336, and the other from DENNIS C. STACKHOUSE, Trustee of Essexwood Realty Trust under Declaration of Trust dated December 15, 1976, recorded with North Essex Registry of Deeds at Book 1299, Page 329, said mortgage being dated May 10, 1977, recorded with said Registry of Deeds, Book 1307, Page 563, both to Essex Broadway Savings Bank, a corporation duly established under the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, having its usual place of business at Lawrence, Essex County in said Commonwealth, of which mortgages the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the conditions contained in said mortgages and for the purpose of foreclosing, the same will be sold at PUBLIC AUCTION ON THE PREMISES ON THE SOUTHWESTERLY SIDE OF RIVER ROAD, IN ANDOVER, MASSACHUSETTS, being shown as Parcel A on North Essex Registry of Deeds Plan No. 6986, at Lot #28 on North Essex Registry of Deeds Plan No. 7036, on TUESDAY, JANUARY 9, 1979, at TWO O'CLOCK P.M., all and singular the premises described in said mortgage dated December 28, 1976, recorded in Book 1299, Page 336, to wit: Two certain parcels of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in Andover, Essex County, Massachusetts. FIRST PARCEL: Being shown as Parcel A on a plan entitled: "Plan of Lands in Andover, Massachusetts, to be conveyed to R. L. Spencer Const. Co., Inc." by Merrimack Engineering Services, dated October 15, 1973, recorded with North Essex Registry of Deeds as Plan No. 6986, said Parcel A being bounded and described substantially as follows: NORTHEASTERLY by River Road four hundred and sixty (460) feet; SOUTHEASTERLY by land of James T. and Mary D. Murphy in seven lines measuring a total of one thousand two hundred thirty-six and 59/100 (1236.59) feet; NORTHEASTERLY by land of said James T. and Mary D. Murphy, eleven and 67/100 (11.67) feet; SOUTHERLY by land of said James T. & Mary D. Murphy, eighty-nine and 14/100 (89.14) feet; and then by land of Richard J. Bonier in six lines measuring a total of one thousand twenty-two and 81/100 (1022.81) feet; SOUTHEASTERLY by land of Joseph W. Monahan III, three hundred fifty-seven and 09/100 (357.09) feet; SOUTHWESTERLY by land of Rene L. Demers and Helen Demers in two lines measuring a total of four hundred eighty-five and 62/100 (485.62) feet; NORTHWESTERLY by land of Lucien & Mila L. Arsenault and by land of John Asdian & Harry Loosigian in eight lines measuring a total of one thousand three hundred ninety-nine and 11/100 (1399.11) feet; NORTHEASTERLY by Parcel B in three lines measuring a total of four hundred ninety-five and 95/100 (495.95) feet; NORTHWESTERLY by Parcel B in four lines measuring a total of one thousand one hundred sixty-eight and 49/100 (1168.49) feet. Containing thirty-four and 9584/10,000 (34.9584) acres, as shown on said plan, or however otherwise bounded, measured or described. SECOND PARCEL: Being shown as Parcel B on said Plan No. 6986, and being bounded and described substantially as follows: NORTHEASTERLY by River Road, fifty (50) feet; SOUTHEASTERLY by Parcel A in four lines measuring a total of one thousand one hundred sixty-eight and 49/100 (1168.49) feet; SOUTHWESTERLY By Parcel A in three lines measuring a total of four hundred ninety-five and 95/100 (495.95) feet; NORTHWESTERLY By land of John Asdian and Harry Loosigian and by land of William T. & Jennie C. Westaway in three lines measuring a total of eight hundred forty-five and 27/100 (845.27) feet; NORTHEASTERLY By land of Charles K. and June C. Fitzgerald, two hundred twenty-six and 14/100 (226.14) feet; SOUTHEASTERLY By land of Leonard & Claire Potvin thirty-two and 04/100 (32.04) feet; NORTHEASTERLY by land of said Leonard & Claire Potvin two hundred thirty-one and 59/100 (231.59) feet; NORTHWESTERLY by land of said Leonard & Claire Potvin three hundred forty-seven and 15/100 (347.15) feet; Containing nine and 6154/10,000 (9.6154) acres as shown on said plan, or however otherwise bounded, measured or described.

And the premises described in said mortgage dated May 10, 1977, recorded in Book 1307, Page 563, to wit: DESCRIPTION

There is EXCEPTED from the above described premises Lots 16, 17, 21, 29, 22, 34 and 35 as shown on a plan of land entitled: "Subdivision and Acceptance Plan, Heaven's Crest, in Andover, Developer Spencer Construction and Development Corp." dated

November 5, 1973, Merrimack Engineering Services, Inc., Engineers, recorded with said Registry of Deeds as Plan No. 7036, and which said Lots have heretofore been partially released from under the above referred to mortgages by said foreclosing mortgagee.

The premises will be sold subject to any and all unpaid taxes and other municipal assessments and liens, and subject to prior liens and other enforceable encumbrances of record entitled to precedence over said mortgages.

Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars will be required to be paid in cash or certified check or bank treasurer's check by the purchaser at the time and place of the sale. Other terms will be announced at the sale.

ESSEX BROADWAY SAVINGS BANK,
MORTGAGEE

By ROBERT J. ALONGI, Treasurer
December 7, 14, 21, 1978

SHERIFF'S SALE
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Salem, November 14th, A.D., 1978

Essex, SS.

Taken on execution and will be sold at Public Auction on Thursday, January 4th, A.D., 1979 at 10 o'clock A.M. at my office, Suite 408, One Salem Green, Salem, Mass., in said County of Essex, all the right, title and interest which the within named Judgment Debtors, FREDERICK M. MacPHERSON and RUTH L. MacPHERSON had (not exempt by law from attachment or levy on execution) on the 14th day of November, A.D., 1978 at two minutes past eight o'clock A.M. being the time the same was seized and taken on execution in and to the following described real estate, to wit:

A certain parcel of land located in North Andover, Essex County, Massachusetts, with a townhome thereon, containing 12,000 square feet, and being shown as Lot 29 on a plan entitled, "Plan of Land in North Andover, Stevens Pond", dated February 1974, by Northern Associates, Inc., recorded in Essex North District Registry of Deeds as Plan No. 6989, to which plan reference may be made for a more particular description.

Said premises are hereby conveyed subject to and with the benefit of rights, easements and restrictions set forth in the Master Declaration of Covenants, Conditions and Restrictions for the Planned Development of Millpond dated July 17, 1974, recorded with said Deeds in Book 1247, Page 429, and the bylaws, rules and regulations adopted pursuant to said Covenants, and the obligations thereunder to pay the apportioned share attributable to said Townhome, all of which the grantee(s) by acceptance hereof agree to perform and assume; and such taxes attributable to said Townhome for the current year as are now due and payable.

Said premises are also conveyed subject to and with the benefit of rights, easements, restrictions and agreements of record, insofar as the same are now in force and applicable.

For title, see deed to the grantors dated May 28, 1974, recorded with said Deeds in Book 1241, Page 633.

ROBERT E. CURRAN, Deputy Sheriff

Execution of:

Conrad W. Oulette, et al vs. Frederick M. MacPherson and Ruth L. MacPherson

Terms of Sale, CASH

Robert E. Curran, Deputy Sheriff

December 7, 14, 21, 1978

SHERIFF'S SALE
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Salem, November 7th, A.D., 1978

Essex, SS.

Taken on execution and will be sold at Public Auction on Thursday, January 4th A.D., 1979 at 10 o'clock A.M. at my office, Suite 408, One Salem Green, Salem, Mass., in said County of Essex, all the right, title and interest which the within named Judgment Debtor, JAMES K. OLSON, had (not exempt by law from attachment or levy on execution) on the 7th day of November, A.D., 1978 at two minutes past eight o'clock A.M. being the time the same was seized and taken on execution in and to the following described registered land held under Certificate of Title No. 7705, Book 52, page 25, to wit:

Of that certain parcel of land situated in Andover in the County of Essex, and said Commonwealth, bounded and described as follows:

Southwesterly by the northeasterly line of Lenox Land, one hundred seventy (170) feet;

Northwesterly by lot one hundred thirty three (133) as shown on plan hereinafter mentioned, two hundred six and 60/100 (206.60) feet;

Northeasterly by land now or formerly of MARION L. YEATON one hundred sixty five (165) feet, and Southeasterly by lot one hundred thirty five (135) on said plan one hundred sixty six and 37/100 (166.37) feet;

All of said boundaries are determined by the Court to be located as shown on Plan No. 18975W Sheet 2,

drawn by Clinton F. Goodwin, Surveyor, dated July 17, 1963, as modified and approved by the Court, filed in the Land Registration Office, a copy of a portion of which is filed with Certificate of title No. 5690, Book 38, page 361, and being designated as lot one hundred thirty four (134) thereon. There is appurtenant to the above described land the right to use the streets and ways shown on said plan, in common with others lawfully entitled thereto. The above described land is subject to drainage easements as set forth in a grant made by SMITH P. BURTON, JR., et al to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, dated October 11, 1930, duly recorded in Book 556, page 552.

ROBERT E. CURRAN, Deputy Sheriff

Execution of:

Federal Deposit Ins. Co. vs. James K. Olson

Terms of Sale: CASH

Robert E. Curran, Deputy Sheriff

December 7, 14, 21, 1978

TOWN OF ANDOVER
NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY
AMENDED ORS 900 REPORT
REVENUE SHARING AND
ANTIRECESSION FISCAL ASSISTANCE

Notice is hereby given that on December 12, 1978, the Town of Andover submitted to the Office of Revenue Sharing an amended ORS 900 report, previously submitted on May 16, 1978.

The amended report shows the obligation of \$95,820 in Anti-recession Fiscal Assistance Funds for personal services in the Fire Department for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1977.

This report and its supporting documentation may be examined by the general public in the Town Manager's Office, Town Hall, 20 Main Street, Andover, Massachusetts 01810, Monday through Friday on regular business days between the hours of 8:30 A.M. and 4:30 P.M.

JARED S. A. CLARK, Town Manager
December 14, 1978

TOWN OF ANDOVER
ACTUAL EXPENDITURES
ANTIRECESSION FISCAL ASSISTANCE

Notice is hereby given of actual expenditures in the Antirecession Fiscal Assistance (ARFA) program for the fiscal year which ended June 30, 1978.

The Town of Andover made actual expenditures of ARFA funds during this period in the amount of \$107,970 for personal services in the Fire Department.

This information was submitted to the Bureau of the Census on December 12, 1978 as part of the 1978 Survey of Municipal or Township Finances.

This report and its supporting documentation may be examined by the general public in the Town Manager's Office, Town Hall, 20 Main Street, Andover, Massachusetts 01810, Monday through Friday on regular business days between the hours of 8:30 A.M. and 4:30 P.M.

JARED S. A. CLARK, Town Manager
December 14, 1978

COMMONWEALTH OF
MASSACHUSETTS
Superior Court

In Equity
No. 13047

Essex, ss.

To JOHN S. HAMEL and CLAIRE E. HAMEL, both of Andover, in the County of Essex; The Haverhill National Bank, of Haverhill, in said County of Essex; and all in said Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and to all persons entitled to the benefit of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940, as amended:

Whereas, Pentucket Five Cents Savings Bank, of said Haverhill, claiming to be the holder of a mortgage covering real property situated at 49 Holt Road, in said Andover, and more particularly described in the mortgage, given by said JOHN S. HAMEL and said CLAIRE E. HAMEL, to said Pentucket Five Cents Savings Bank, dated October 7, 1964, and recorded in Essex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 1020, Page 453, has filed with said court a bill in equity for authority to foreclose said mortgage by entry and possession and exercise of a power of sale: If you are entitled to the benefits of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940, as amended, and you object to such foreclosure of said mortgage, you or your attorney should

file a written appearance and answer in said Court at Salem, in said County of Essex, on or before the 8th day of January 1979 which day is the return day of this subpoena, or you may be forever barred from claiming such foreclosure is invalid under said Act.

Witness, JAMES P. LYNCH, JR., Esquire, Administrative Justice of our Superior Court, the 4th day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventy-eight.

JAMES DENNIS LEARY,
Clerk

(Seal)

The foregoing is a true copy.

Attest:

Jane S. Sarnowska

Assistant Clerk

December 14, 1978

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NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF
MASSACHUSETTS
PROBATE COURT

Docket No. 343371

Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in
SEPH MICHAEL WARD of
Andover in said County,
nor.

A petition has been
presented to said Court, pray-
ing that NANCY J. BROWN of
Andover in the County of
Essex or some other suitable
person, be appointed his guar-
antor.

If you desire to object
hereto you or your attorney
should file a written
appearance in said Court at
Salem before ten o'clock in the
forenoon on the second day of
January 1979, the return day of
this citation.

Witness, ALBERT P.
ATTORUTO, Esquire, First
Judge of said Court, this thir-
th day of November 1978.

JOHN J. COSTELLO,

Register

Dec. 7, 14, 21, 1978

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LEGAL NOTICES

TOWN OF ANDOVER NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY REVENUE SHARING REPORT

Notice is hereby given that the 1978 Survey of Municipal or Township Finances was filed with the Bureau of the Census on December 12, 1978.

This report and its supporting documentation may be examined by the general public in the Town Manager's Office, Town Hall, 20 Main Street, Andover, Massachusetts 01810, Monday through Friday on regular business days between the hours of 8:30 A.M. and 4:30 P.M.

JARED S. A. CLARK, Town Manager
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Upon the request of JOHN E. DeLOURY, 46 Lowell Junction Road, Andover, Mass. 01810, pursuant to the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 54A, the Executive Office of Transportation and Construction shall conduct a public hearing to determine whether a building permit shall be issued to said JOHN E. DeLOURY for construction of certain buildings upon a parcel of land now or formerly owned by the Boston & Maine Railroad located at Ballardvale Street, Andover.

The hearing shall take place on Wednesday, December 20, 1978, at the Andover Town Hall at 7:30 P.M. All persons interested should attend. Inquiries concerning the hearing may be made to Mr. Victor Cantone, Bureau of Traffic Operations, Mass. Department of Public Works, 100 Nashua Street, Boston, Mass. 02114, telephone 727-5050.

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Secretary of Transportation
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Boston, Massachusetts
November 22, 1978

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS PROBATE COURT

Docket No. 343244
Essex, ss.

To all persons interested in the estate of DOUGLAS S. BYERS late of Andover in said County deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court for Probate of a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and one codicil of said deceased by DOROTHY H. BYERS of Andover, in the County of Essex, and WILLIAM L. KINGMAN of Acton in the County of Middlesex, praying that they be appointed executors thereof, without giving a surety on their bond.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the eighteenth day of December 1978, the return day of this citation.

Witness, ALBERT P. PETTORUTO, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of November 1978.
JOHN J. COSTELLO,
Register

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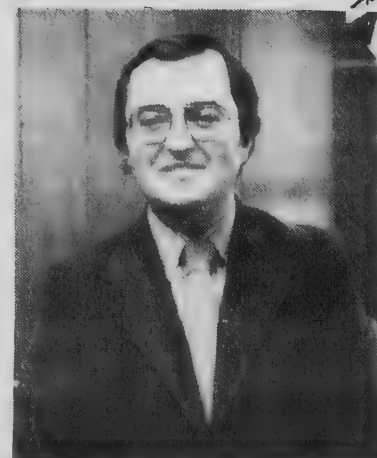
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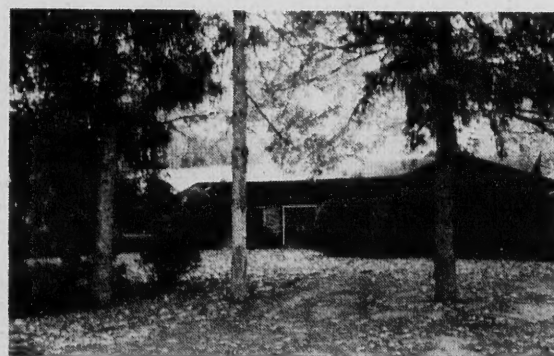
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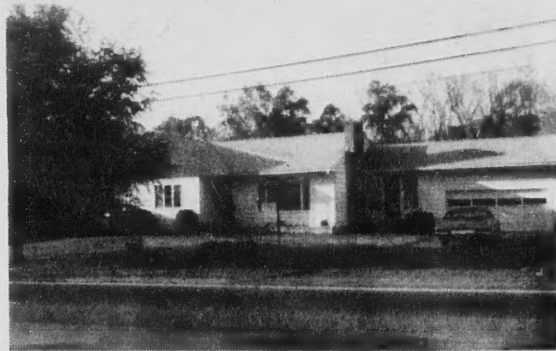


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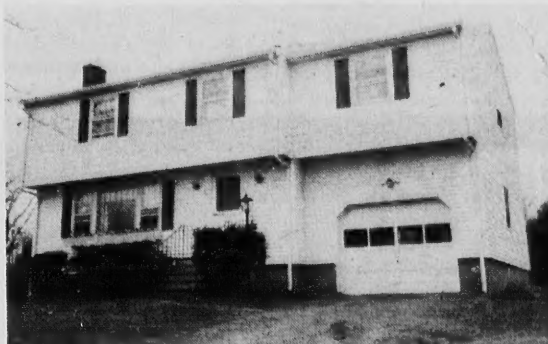


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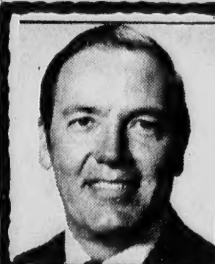
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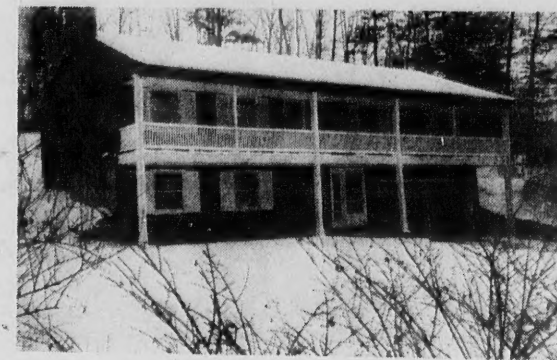
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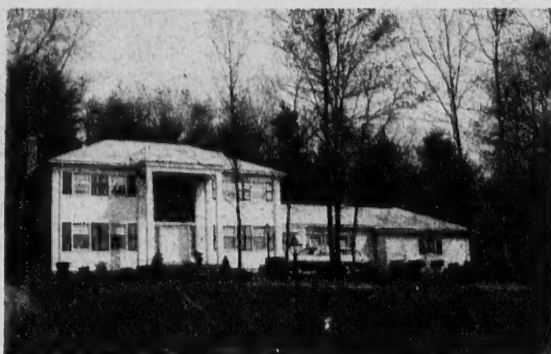
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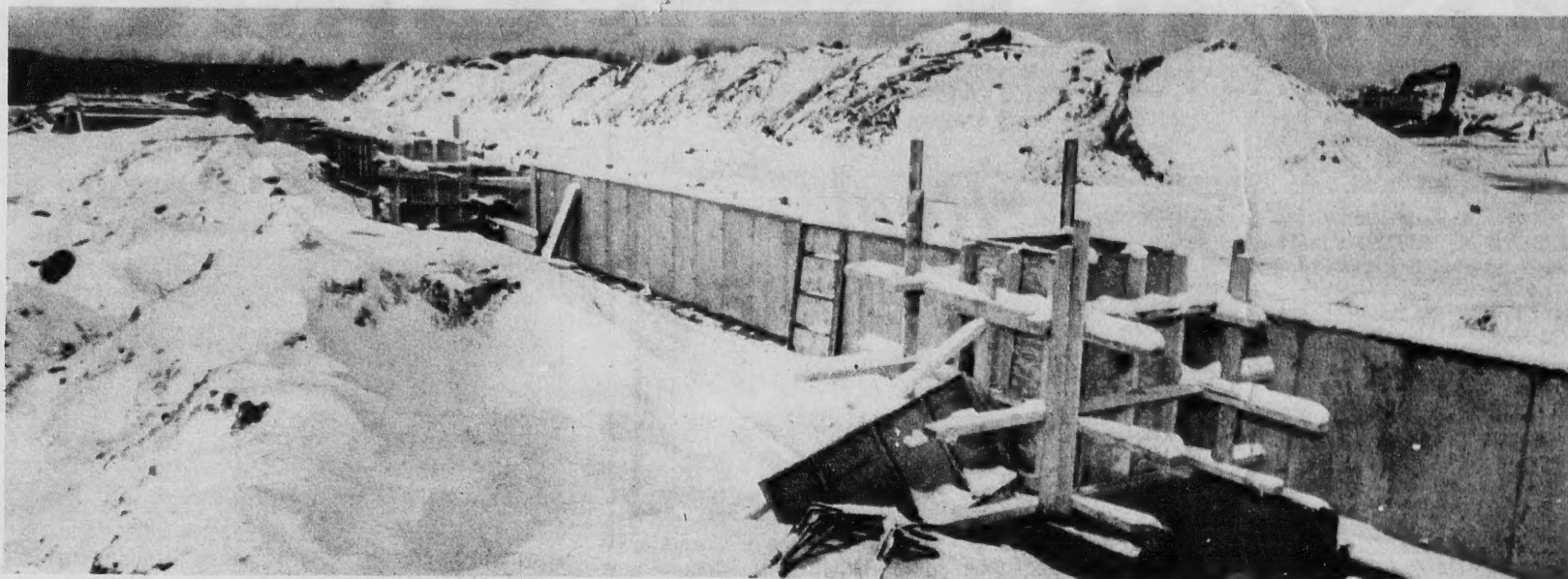


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Snow-Capped Progress

Site work is complete and some of the foundation work underway on the new Polaroid plant in West Andover. Expediting of permits by the town allowed Polaroid to get work underway before winter weather set in, thus insuring a timetable which will result in enclosing the building by early spring to allow manufacturing facilities to be installed.

Selectmen Meet Monday

Selectmen will meet in regular session Monday night at 7:30 in the meeting room of Memorial Hall library.

Boston Opera Program

The Boston Opera Association (The Met in Boston) has announced that the Metropolitan Opera's 68th season in Boston will open on Monday, April 23 at 8 p.m. at the John B. Hynes Veterans Auditorium with a new production of Donizetti's "Don Pasquale."

Music Director James Levine will conduct four performances of the seven to be given in Boston.

All evening performances this season will begin at 8 p.m. with a Saturday matinee curtain at 1:30 p.m.

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